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FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31
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THE TUTTLE COMPANY
PUBLISHERS
RUTLAND, VERMONT

GOVERNMENT
OF THE
CITY OF RUTLAND

Mayor

HON. HENRY C. BRISLIN

Office, City Hall.

Residence, 164 State Street

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

President

John C. Temple

Aldermen

Term expires

William E. Amblo, 20 East Washington Street	1915
Asher Burditt, 110 Crescent Street	1915
Henry C. Farrar, 179 Grove Street	1915
Walter B. Mills, 44 Crescent Street	1915
John N. Tuttle, 149 South Main Street	1915
Earle D. Wickham, 16 Royce Street	1915
Dennis J. Anthony, 44 Wales Street	1916
Walter A. Clark, 95 Gibson Avenue	1916
James H. Dunn, 43 South Main Street	1916
John H. Frenier, 39 West Street	1916
John C. Temple, 1 East Washington Street	1916

CITY OFFICERS

	Office
City Clerk	
Harry B. Whittier, 30 West Street,	City Hall
City Treasurer	
Will L. Davis, 35 Church Street,	City Hall
City Constable	
Henry R. Adams, 45 Roberts Avenue,	City Hall
Judge of City Court	
Frederick G. Swinnerton, 45 North Main Street	City Hall
Assistant Judge of City Court	
J. Dyer Spellman, 56 Grove Street,	381½ Center Street
City Attorney	
P. M. Meldon, 14 South Main Street	Herald Building
Commissioner of Public Safety	
Francis Tracy, 76 Baxter Street,	12 Evelyn Street
Commissioner of Public Works	
Arthur C. Grover, 44 Prospect Street,	City Hall
City Engineer	
Arthur C. Grover, 44 Prospect Street,	City Hall
Superintendent of Streets	
Archie G. Perry, 23 Cottage Street,	City Hall
Superintendent of Water Works	

Overseer of Poor	
Peter Brousseau, 218 Woodstock Avenue,	City Farm
Inspector of Buildings	
Frank Conniff, 55 Evergreen Ave.,	55 Evergreen Ave.
City Weigher	
Harry B. Whittier, 30 West Street,	City Hall
Sealer of Weights and Measures	
Thomas J. Moher, 157 Granger Street,	City Hall
Surveyor of Wood and Inspector of Lumber and Shingles	
Fred G. Smith, 53 Chestnut Ave.,	Chaffee Lumber Co. West St.
Grand Juror	
Charles B. Costello, 10 Mansfield Place,	City Hall
Purchasing Agent	
Harry B. Whittier, 30 West Street,	City Hall
City Messenger	
Albert Scoville, 155 State Street,	City Hall
Pound Keepers	
Andrus B. Engrem,	148 North Main Street
Caleb P. Buffum,	150 South Main Street
Board of Health	
Dr. Frederick H. Gebhardt,	Health Officer
43 Washington Street	
Dr. Charles A. Gale,	Dr. Nicholas J. Delehanty,
Frank D. White	

Cemetery Commissioners

Charles A. Parkhurst,	Term expires 1915
Robert A. Adams,	Term expires 1916

Assessors

Fred A. Field,	Term expires 1915
David W. Temple,	Term expires 1916
John B. Dyer,	Term expires 1917

Auditors

Charles Turner	Jake Heyman
George C. Cobb	

Commissioners of Sinking Fund

Newman K. Chaffee,	Term expires 1915
Henry F. Field,	Term expires 1916
John N. Woodfin,	Term expires 1917

Board of Highway Commissioners

Arthur C. Grover
Archie G. Perry
John C. Temple

Board of License Commissioners

James A. Lillis
Edgar H. Wood
Winthrop L. Davis

Fence Viewers

Thomas Moroney,	4 Emmett Avenue
James H. Lincoln	153 South Main Street
Rollin W. Kenyon,	31 North Street

Drain Layers

Valorus M. Babbitt,	158 State Street
Elmer J. Hier,	119 Library
Vito Manfreda,	107 Franklin Street

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief of Police

Jesse Young, 12 Hopkins Street

Regular Police Officers

Jesse Young	Patrick H. Conlin
Thomas C. Elworth	Timothy Dwyer
Silas C. Warren	Martin Kennedy

Special Police Officers

Nicholas C. Baker	Eugene M. Mangan
George W. Brannock	John F. Moloney
John W. Brislin	Jeremiah McDonough
Patrick Bushel	A. Newman
John J. Butler	Thomas F. O'Neil
Eugene F. Butterfly	Orrin R. Packard
Jeremiah Canty	Charles Papaneau
Thomas C. Canty	Antonio Petrello
John H. Childs	Carmine Pitaniello
Byron F. Everest	Albert S. Phillips
Nelson J. Fortier	Albert M. Prentiss
Patrick J. Foster	Robert Pritchard
Sam Geno	John J. Quirk
Herbert A. Gillam	Pascal Ricci
G. E. Gould	Michael Rice
Timothy Halpin	Lewis H. Rogers
Michael F. Keefe	John B. Romano
Edward M. Knox	Charles Sargent
George Keiley	Albert Scoville
Wm. D. Kelley	Perley L. Spafford
Luther C. Kinney	Costantino Vitagliano
Louis N. Lafrance	Edward S. Whittaker
John E. Lanan	Horace E. Yarrington
Israel F. Lassor	C. Freeman York

Thomas Leahy

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Chief Engineer and Fire Marshal

James C. Dunn, Office, Central Fire Station
15 Cottage Street

First Assistant, Orrin R. Packard
Second Assistant, John P. Reedy
Steamer Engineer, Richard M. Raleigh

Permanent Firemen

Adolphus A. Courcelle	Roy H. Leonard
John W. Cline	Cornelius Sammon
Alfred H. Koltonski	John H. Sheridan
Walter F. Wands	

Call Firemen

Raymond D. Beals	Harry A. Mattison
William M. Blanchard	Geo. P. McGuirk
James T. Cocklin	John J. O'Brien
James H. Eitapence	Chas. W. Pennington
Andrick C. Gravelle	Leon F. Pollard
Harley B. Hassam	George T. Shelvey
Harry S. Lamb	Bert H. Stickney
Edgar C. Mabury	Julius I. Whitney
Nelson A. Malmgren	Edward C. Young

BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

President

HARVEY R. KINGSLEY

Clerk, David B. Locke, High School Building

Commissioners

Term expires

Thomas A. Cootey, 40 Washington Street	1915
Edward C. Johnson, 17 Madison Street	1915
Henry S. Parker, 66 South Main Street	1915
Marvelle C. Webber, 26 South Main Street	1915
Laura B. Cramton, 111 Park Avenue	1916
Harvey R. Kingsley, 73 Pine Street	1916
George F. Leonard, 248 West Street	1916
Florence A. McCarthy, 33 Lincoln Avenue	1916
Dennis J. Canty, 10 Engrem Avenue	1917
Charles H. Landon, 43 Grove Street	1917
John F. Moloney, off Forest Street	1917

Superintendent of Schools

David B. Locke, 50 Church Street

Truant Officers

John W. Brislin, 104 South Street
John J. Hickey, 143 Strong's Avenue

WARD OFFICERS

Ward	Ward Clerk	Inspectors of Election
1	Thomas J. Creed	Frederick S. Chaffee, 1st Maxime Jasmin, 2nd David W. Temple, 3rd
2	William T. Simonds	Adrian T. Woodward, 1st Charles W. McGuirk, 2nd James W. Driscoll, 3rd
3	John N. Paige	Matthew Hussey, 1st Edward S. Whittaker, 2nd Thomas Horan, 3rd
4	Riford R. Tuttle	Asa R. Mairs, 1st 2nd Charles R. Tossing, 3rd Rollin L. Richmond, 1st Charles S. Hoag, 2nd Alvarado C. Gibson, 3rd
5	William P. Jones	Raymond D. Beals, 1st Leon S. Robillard, 2nd Charles W. Pennington, 3rd
6	James M. Fay	Henry J. Hostler, 1st John F. Moloney, 2nd Charles R. Brown, 3rd
7	Peter F. McManus	William H. Burke, 1st George H. Martin, 2nd David M. Crafts, 3rd
8	John D. Lyston	Thomas C. Robbins, 1st Jay W. Smith, 2nd M. Scott Gooding, 3rd
9	Alexander C. Mason	Arthur J. Courcelle, 1st John D. Reynolds, 2nd Charles Mangan, 3rd
10	Louis W. Cole	John B. German, 1st Fred W. Hayward, 2nd Caleb P. Buffum, 3rd
11	Walter J. German	

MAYORS OF THE CITY OF RUTLAND

John A. Mead	1893	
Levi G. Kingsley	1894	
John A. Sheldon	1895	Died July 25, 1910
Thomas H. Browne	1896	
Percival W. Clement	1897-98, 1911-12	Resigned June 9, 1912
William Y. W. Ripley	1899	Died Dec. 16, 1905
John D. Spellman	1900	
J. Burton Hollister	1901	Died Dec. 5, 1907
David W. Temple	1902-1903	
Jack S. Carder	1904	
J. Forrest Manning	1905	
Charles E. Paige	1906	
Rollin L. Richmond	1907	
Henry O. Carpenter	1908-1910	
*Charles L. Howe	1912	
Henry C. Brislin	1913—	

*Succeeded Percival W. Clement, June 9, 1912.

PRESIDENTS OF BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Thomas C. Robbins	1893
L. G. Bagley	1894
Henry A. Sawyer	1895-1896
Nathaniel S. Stearns	1897
Albert L. Pratt	1898
Alva H. Pierce	1899
Clarence H. Murdick	1900
Arthur Lyman	1901, 1903
Carl B. Hinsman	1902
Frank R. Blanchard	1904
Charles E. Paige	1905
Winthrop L. Davis	1906
John J. Lalor	1907
Henry C. Brislin	1908
George E. Lassar	1909-1910
Charles L. Howe	1911-1912
*George T. Chaffee	1912
John C. Temple	1913—

*Succeeded Charles L. Howe, July 1st, 1912.

ALDERMEN

Emmett B. Aldrich	1895-1896	Died Feb. 10, 1901
William E. Amblo'	1913—	
*Dennis J. Anthony	1907-1908, 1910—	
Leon G. Bagley	1893-1894	
Henry Barrett	1907-1908	
John J. Barrett	1896-1899	Died Oct. 4, 1911
Albert W. Billado	1909-1913	
Frank R. Blanchard	1901-1906	
Montraville A. Bourne	1894-1895	Died Aug. 24, 1901
Samuel T. Braley	1893-1894	
Henry C. Brislin	1906-1908, 1910-1913	
John W. Brislin	1893-1897	
Samuel A. Brock	1906-1907	
Austin Brothers	1900-1901	
Albert Brousseau	1893	
Thomas H. Browne	1893-1896, 1897-1898	
George A. Bucklin	1907-1908	
Caleb P. Buffum	1909-1910	
Asher Burditt	1913—	
William F. Burditt	1895-1896	
Ira M. Canfield	1907-1908	
George T. Chaffee	1911-1913	
Walter A. Clark	1914—	
James E. Creed	1899-1906	
Winthrop L. Davis	1902-1907	
James Dougherty	1894-1899	Died Nov. 11, 1903
Hugh Duffy	1899-1906	
James H. Dunn	1910—	
John B. Dyer	1897-1898	
†Henry C. Farrar	1906-1908, 1913—	
Henry J. Flynn	1898-1899	
John H. Frenier	1910—	
Alfred P. Fuller	1895-1896	Died Feb. 17, 1904
Frank W. Gary	1901-1904	
Michael Gilrain	1900-1905	
Carl B. Hinsman	1901-1902	
Justin R. Hoadley	1893-1894	
†Charles L. Howe	1909-1912	
Maxime Jasmin	1897-1898	
Guy O. Kelton	1905-1906	Died Oct. 27, 1910
John J. Lalor	1904-1909	

George E. Lassar	1907-1913	
Frederick W. Lehr	1907-1908	
Arthur Lyman	1900-1903	
Frank S. Mangan	1900-1905	Died Nov. 24, 1913
Edward Manning	1904-1905	
Walter B. Mills	1913—	
Levi F. Miner	1909-1913	
Peter J. Mullee	1908-1909	
Clarence H. Murdick	1899-1900	
John McGuirk	1893-1897	
Lucian H. McIntire	1900-1901	
Hiram F. Noyes	1894-1899, 1902-1903	Died May 30, 1913
Charles E. Paige	1903-1906	
John J. Parris	1897-1898	Died Jan. 22, 1904
Alva H. Pierce	1897-1900	
Edward Pomeroy	1901-1904	
Thomas A. Quigley	1906-1907	
Thomas C. Robbins	1893, 1909-1910	
Edward V. Ross	1893-1894	
§George E. Royce	1896-1897	Died Mar. 5, 1903
Henry A. Sawyer	1895-1896	Died Oct. 6, 1899
John A. Sheldon	1893-1894	Died July 25, 1910
Nathaniel S. Stearns	1893, 1896-1899	Died Oct. 16, 1900
¶John C. Temple	1901, 1910—	
George C. Thrall	1895-1896	
Thomas E. Toohy	1899-1900	
John N. Tuttle	1913—	
William H. Walsh	1908-1909	Died Mar. 7, 1913
Edward S. Watkins	1905-1906	
Earle D. Wickham	1913—	
Frank M. Wilson	1911-1913	

*Appointed December 30th, 1907, in place of Winthrop L. Davis, resigned.

†Appointed March 8th, 1906, in place of Charles E. Paige, resigned.

§Elected March 30th, 1896, in place of Thomas H. Browne, resigned.

¶Appointed October 31st, in place of Austin Brothers, resigned.

‡Succeeded Hon. Percival W. Clement, as mayor, June 9th, 1912.

PRESIDENTS OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

George J. Wardwell	1893-1894
Egbert C. Tuttle	1895-1904
George H. Baker	1905
Henry H. Ross	1906, 1909
James F. Lamb	1907
Harvey R. Kingsley	1908, 1913
Arthur Lyman	1910
Edward C. Johnson	1911-1912
Marville C. Webber	1914

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS JULY 1

Fred C. Atherton	1897-1902	
George H. Baker	1898-1914	
¶Joel C. Baker	1899-1904	Died June 6, 1904
George W. Batchelder	1906-1912	
*Henry C. Brislin	1905—	Resigned Mar. 8, 1906
Dennis J. Canty	1914—	
†George T. Chaffee	1893-1901	
Walter A. Clark	1893-1895	
×Thomas A. Cootey	1912—	
Laura B. Cramton	1913—	
Nicholas J. Delehanty	1911-1914	
Milo F. Eastman	1904-1906	Died July 22, 1903
Henry O. Edson	1893-1900	
Fred A. Field	1893	
Patrick J. Foster	1906-1908	
Charles A. Gale	1896-1904	
Charles H. Granger	1893-1896	
Henry A. Harman	1895-1898	
§Charles H. Harrison	1906-10, 1910-12	Resigned Oct. 11, '12
John Hulihan	1893-1905	Died June 21, 1914
Edward C. Johnson	1903—	
Harvey R. Kingsley	1904—	

Charles Krans	1901-1905	Died Feb. 14, 1909
James F. Lamb	1905, 1910	Died Jan. 6, 1914
†Charles H. Landon	1911—	
Walter C. Landon	1893-1898	Died Apr. 10, 1910
William H. Lawrence	1896-1898	
George F. Leonard	1913—	
Arthur Lyman	1909-1912	
Charles B. Mann	1893-1894	Died April 24, 1908
ⓈJohn F. Moloney	1914—	
Charles W. Mussey	1893-1895	
Charles T. McKean	1907-1910	
Florence A. McCarthy	1910—	
Henry S. Parker	1912—	
James Purcell	1898-1904	
()Henry H. Ross	1901-1910	
Willis M. Ross	1910-1913	
James P. Sawyer	1914	Died April 20, 1914
Egbert C. Tuttle	1893-1906	
Frank J. Wade	1907-1913	
Michael R. Walsh	1893-1905	Died Aug. 2, 1905
Charles W. Ward	1905-1911	Died Nov. 16, 1911
George J. Wardwell	1893-1894	Died Dec. 18, 1895
Marville C. Webber	1912—	
Franklin D. White	1895-1900	
James D. Winslow	1901-1904	Died Sept. 5, 1904

¶Appointed April 2, 1899, in place of Henry A. Harman, resigned.

*Appointed August 7, 1905, in place of Michael R. Walsh, deceased.

†Appointed November 25, 1893, in place of Fred A. Field, removed from the ward.

||Appointed October 3, 1904, in place of James D. Winslow, deceased.

§Appointed March 8, 1906, in place of Charles Krans, resigned.

§Appointed September 5, 1910, in place of Henry H. Ross, resigned.

()Appointed September 2, 1901, in place of George T. Chaffee, resigned.
Resigned, September 5, 1910.

†Appointed April 3, 1911, in place of Charles W. Ward, resigned.
Elected, March 7, 1911.

×Appointed October 21, 1912, in place of Charles H. Harrison, resigned.

ⓈAppointed May 4, 1914, in place of James P. Sawyer, deceased.

Report of the Mayor

To the Citizens and Taxpayers of the City of Rutland, Vt.:

I have the honor to submit my report for the year 1914.

FINANCIAL

We have closed the financial year with a temporary loan warrant of \$15,000.00 outstanding, as against \$10,000.00 outstanding a year ago. The cash on hand in the general fund exceeds that of a year ago by \$2,400.00; we have unpaid bills to the amount of \$800.00 in excess of last year, so that the temporary indebtedness is only \$3,400.00 greater than at the beginning of the present year.

This overdraft is directly chargeable to the sewer account. The average amount spent yearly by this department for the past five years has been \$2,710.00, while this year we expended \$9,579.00; thus showing that if we had spent only the average amount in this department the temporary indebtedness would have been about \$6,600.00, as against \$10,000.00 last year, but extraordinary conditions demanded that the work be done.

We have also paid a \$1,000.00 school bond from the general fund. The remaining \$2,000.00 school bonds voted for the Lincoln Boulevard Building were sold at par to the Sinking Fund Commissioners this year, and credited to the School Building Fund.

Our net bonded debt on December 31st was \$394,513.58 and on December 31st, 1913, it was \$373,759.20, showing a decrease of \$20,754.38. The appropriation from the general fund and the water account, plus the net amount earned by the sinking fund and the \$1,000.00 school bond paid by the city increased this fund by \$22,754.38. This amount less the \$2,000.00 of

school bonds sold accounts for the decrease of \$20,754.38. The report of the City Treasurer shows in detail the financial transactions during the year.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Considerable work has been done on the streets of the City during the year and it is a source of gratification to me, and I am confident a pleasure and heartfelt relief to you to see our street department organizing into a mechanical-like being with the ultimate object in view of providing the City with streets and highways of a substantial and permanent character. This designation of the department is not extreme, but actual. There are 49 miles of street in the City of Rutland. It is impracticable with our allotted money to cure all the defects in even the major part of this vast stretch of territory in a number of years, but this department has done a great amount of work the past year as disclosed by the report of Commissioner of Public Works, to which I respectfully refer you, and what comes or goes I trust that the progressiveness of this organization may not be interfered with.

The department has at present under observation a new roadway in Glens Falls with a view to ascertaining what is the best material for constructing permanent highways, and if the material used in the construction of this road should prove to be a desirable substance for use in the building of our roads from a business and economic standpoint, then I recommend its purchase and adaptation for those purposes.

LIGHTS

In the Spring of 1914, as a demonstration and experiment, incandescent lights were installed on Church, Williams and Cottage Streets and Kendall Avenue, replacing the 6.6 ampere

12:30 and all night arc lamps, and in August a contract was signed with the Rutland Railway, Light and Power Company to furnish the City arc lights to burn from one-half hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise each and every night in the year at a price of \$75.00 per year and lights of the same illuminosity to burn until 12:30 each and every night in the year at a price of \$60.00 per year. The Electric Company agreed to install at their own expense not less than sixty (60) decorative street posts to be installed and burning not later than September 6, 1914, each post to have four 60 watt lamps to burn until 12:30 A. M. and one lamp consuming 100 watts to burn until one hour before sunrise each and every night in the year, for a price of Forty Dollars (\$40.00) per post per year. The Company also agreed to install additional posts restricted to a certain area, of the same style, candle power and price.

As a summary there has been installed the past year sixty decorative street lights, five arc lamps to burn until 12:30 A. M., and two arc lamps to burn until one hour before sunrise, also fourteen incandescent lamps to burn until 12:30 and four until one hour before sunrise. The installation of the decorative street posts discontinued the use of six all night arc lamps.

The contract with the Electric Company called for the free installation of Mazda lamps in the City buildings, replacing the old type Gem lamps which change was made and the cost of lighting the City buildings was reduced materially.

I believe this to be the best Contract this City has ever made for its street lighting.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

The financial management and competency of those in charge of this department has been very satisfactory and the unfortunate circumstances brought on by the exigencies of the times have been and are adjusted by the Overseer of the Poor, Mr. Brousseau, in a creditable manner.

A new system of heating has been installed at the City Farm which greatly adds to the conveniences and comforts of the inmates.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

The work in both the police and fire departments has been of the highest quality. New detention cells have been installed which are used in connection with the common lock-up. They are separated from the common jail room and are for the detention of persons not in a frame of mind to witness some of the nauseating scenes which take place in a jail room. During the past year they have proven their worth to humanity and were of great service to the State of Vermont during the House of Correction quarantine.

I desire to go on record as favoring the purchase of a fire truck for use in raising the standard of efficiency of our fire department, safeguarding the property of the people and reducing the expenses of this department to an appreciable degree.

HOSPITAL—LIBRARY

The Rutland City Hospital and Rutland Free Library have proven their utmost and constant value to the City in the respective functions which they perform and no words of praise which we might shower upon these institutions could express, I am sure, the gratitude which you and I feel for the services they rendered the City of Rutland during 1914.

In conclusion I desire to express my appreciation to the heads of the various departments and thank them and all who assisted me in the performance of my duties during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY C. BRISLIN,
Mayor.

Report of the City Treasurer

To the Honorable City Council:-

Gentlemen: I herewith present to you my report as City Treasurer for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1914.

RECEIPTS

Taxes received by the city treasurer.....	\$190,238 89
Water, schedule service.....	26,575 36
Water, meter service.....	13,741 68
Hay sold on Mendon lands.....	220 00
Barn sold on Sawyer Place.....	25 00
Supplies and incidentals sold, water.....	176 24
Interest earned on water deposits.....	1,179 82
Interest earned on general deposits.....	267 14
Licenses.....	796 00
City scales.....	241 10
State of Vermont (Sec. 707 P. S. as amended by No. 51 Acts 1912).....	414 62
Supplies sold, health officer.....	98 45
Incidentals, general.....	13 55
H. R. Adams, constable.....	3,731 75
Dog Fund.....	570 05
Charities.....	321 13
Insurance and incidentals, fire.....	157 65
Sale of fire horse.....	45 00
State of Vermont, state roads.....	2,236 86
H. B. Whittier, City clerk, oil account.....	640 51
Rutland Ry., Lt. & P. Co.....	1,709 34
Returned from street pay rolls and supplies.....	41 87
Street sweepings.....	30 00
Returned from police pay roll.....	10 00
Sidewalks.....	95 32
Sewers.....	200 00
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	\$243,777 33

CITY OF RUTLAND

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City Court.....	\$ 1,116 55
Liquor licenses.....	12,350 00
State of Vermont, school account.....	3,618 16
Miscellaneous, school account.....	6,516 48
Sale of school bonds.....	2,000 00
Temporary Loan Warrants.....	110,000 00
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1914:	
Schools.....	\$ 508 94
School building fund.....	6,555 49
Water.....	33,592 81
General.....	4,572 98
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	\$45,230 22
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	\$180,831 41

DISBURSEMENTS

\$424,608 74

Streets.....	\$27,147 76
Sewers.....	9,579 10
Police.....	5,417 55
Fire.....	12,382 72
Lights.....	14,655 15
General.....	33,063 81
Water.....	31,629 16
Charities.....	4,747 90
Salaries.....	6,000 17
Sidewalks.....	3,039 13
Library.....	3,000 00
Hospital.....	3,500 00
Interest.....	20,476 00
Dog fund.....	8 50
Schools.....	64,209 12
Sinking fund.....	8,000 00
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	\$246,856 07
City court.....	\$ 585 95
Liquor licenses.....	12,350 00
School building fund.....	8,555 49
Temporary loan warrants.....	105,000 00
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1914:	
Schools.....	\$ 407 17
Water.....	43,881 75
General.....	6,972 31
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	\$51,261 23
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	\$177,752 67
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	\$424,608 74

The appropriations, the amounts credited and the disbursements, made to the several accounts on the books of this department appear in the following statement:

CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$1,703 45	
Less balance of appropriation void May 1, 1914.....	211 07	
	<u>\$1,492 38</u>	
Appropriation, year ending April 30, 1915.....	4,700 00	
Cash from overseer of poor.....	321 13	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$1,492 38	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	3,255 52	
	<u>Total.....</u>	<u>\$4,747 90</u>
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	1,765 61	
	<u>\$6,513 51</u>	<u>\$6,513 51</u>

DOG FUND

H. B. Whittier, city clerk.....	\$570 05	
Paid warrants.....	\$8 50	
Balance to general fund.....	561 55	
	<u>\$570 05</u>	<u>\$570 05</u>

FIRE

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$3,020 35	
Additional appropriation to May 1, 1914.....	1,000 00	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	11,000 00	
Insurance and incidentals.....	157 65	
Sale of horse.....	45 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$4,032 43	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	8,350 29	
	<u>Total.....</u>	<u>\$12,382 72</u>
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	2,840 28	
	<u>\$15,223 00</u>	<u>\$15,223 00</u>

GENERAL

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$8,608 02	
Less balance of appropriation void May 1, 1914.....	5,774 38	
	<u>\$2,833 64</u>	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	33,000 00	
Additional appropriation.....	1,300 00	
Balance from dog fund.....	561 55	
Interest earned on general deposits.....	267 14	
Licenses.....	796 00	
City scales.....	241 10	
State of Vermont, Sec. 707 P. S. as amended by No. 51, Acts 1912..	414 62	
Supplies sold by health officer.....	98 45	
Incidentals, general.....	13 55	
City court.....	1,116 55	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$2,833 64	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	30,230 17	
Paid city court warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	585 95	
	<u>Total.....</u>	<u>\$33,649 76</u>
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	6,992 84	
	<u>\$40,642 60</u>	<u>\$40,642 60</u>

HOSPITAL

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$875 00	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	3,500 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$875 00	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	2,625 00	
	<u>Total.....</u>	<u>\$3,500 00</u>
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	875 00	
	<u>\$4,375 00</u>	<u>\$4,375 00</u>

INTEREST

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$3,173 46	
Less balance of appropriation void May 1, 1914.....	1,636 43	
	<u>\$1,537 03</u>	

Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	\$22,000 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$1,537 03	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	18,938 97	
Total.....	\$20,476 00	
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	3,061 03	
	<u>\$23,537 03</u>	<u>\$23,537 03</u>

LIBRARY

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$1,500 00	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	3,000 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$1,500 00	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	1,500 00	
Total.....	\$3,000 00	
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	1,500 00	
	<u>\$4,500 00</u>	<u>\$4,500 00</u>

LIGHTS

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$3,462 45	
Additional appropriation to May 1, 1914.....	1,350 00	
	<u>\$4,812 45</u>	
Less balance of appropriation void May 1, 1914.....	28 15	
	<u>\$4,784 30</u>	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	14,000 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$4,784 30	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	9,870 85	
Total.....	\$14,655 15	
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	4,129 15	
	<u>\$18,784 30</u>	<u>\$18,784 30</u>

LIQUOR LICENSES

Arthur Bacon, first class.....	\$900 00	
J. M. Grimes, first class.....	900 00	
M. Dugan, first class.....	900 00	
J. J. Lalor, first class.....	900 00	
T. F. Mangan, first class.....	900 00	
M. P. McDonough, first class.....	900 00	
A. H. Pierce, first class.....	900 00	
John Shanahan, first class.....	900 00	
W. H. Valiquette, first class.....	900 00	
J. H. Dugan, second class.....	1,200 00	
J. A. Kelley, second class.....	1,200 00	
P. J. Kelley, second class.....	1,200 00	
Louis Ricci, third class.....	250 00	
Thomas Smith, seventh class.....	400 00	
Paid State of Vermont.....	<u>\$12,350 00</u>	
	<u>\$12,350 00</u>	<u>\$12,350 00</u>

POLICE

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$987 53	
Additional appropriation to May 1, 1914.....	750 00	
	<u>\$1,737 53</u>	
Less balance of appropriation void May 1, 1914.....	5 28	
	<u>\$1,732 25</u>	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	5,000 00	
Returned from pay roll.....	10 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$1,732 25	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	3,685 30	
Total.....	\$5,417 55	
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	1,324 70	
	<u>\$6,742 25</u>	<u>\$6,742 25</u>

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SALARIES

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$1,800 50	
Less balance of appropriation void May 1, 1914.....	56 50	
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	\$1,744 00	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	5,500 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$1,744 00	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	4,256 17	
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Total.....	\$6,000 17	
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	1,243 83	
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	\$7,244 00	\$7,244 00

SCHOOLS

Cash balance from 1913.....	\$508 94	
Appropriation Jan. 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	53,972 71	
State of Vermont (Teachers' Training course).....	800 00	
State of Vermont (superintendent).....	1,300 00	
State of Vermont (state school fund).....	1,118 16	
State of Vermont (manual training).....	200 00	
State of Vermont (domestic science).....	200 00	
Fire insurance.....	3,040 46	
Boiler insurance.....	200 00	
Tuition.....	2,125 00	
Book account.....	1,001 01	
Incidentals.....	132 01	
Ground rent.....	18 00	
Paid school warrants.....	\$64,209 12	
Cash balance to 1915.....	407 17	
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	\$64,616 29	\$64,616 29

SCHOOL BUILDING FUND

Cash balance from 1913.....	\$6,555 49	
Sale of bonds.....	2,000 00	
Paid school warrants.....	\$8,555 49	
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	\$8,555 49	\$8,555 49

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SINKING FUND

Appropriation.....	\$8,000 00	
Paid sinking fund commissioners.....	\$8,000 00	
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	\$8,000 00	\$8,000 00

SIDEWALKS

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	505 92	
Transferred from street account.....	350 00	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	2,168 96	
Sidewalk assessment.....	95 32	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$800 03	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	2,239 10	
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Total.....	\$3,039 13	
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	81 07	
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	\$3,120 20	\$3,120 20

STREETS

Appropriation balance from 1913.....	\$3,873 90	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915.....	19,520 70	
Special appropriation, state road.....	1,000 00	
State of Vermont, state road.....	2,236 86	
H. B. Whittier, city clerk, oil account.....	640 51	
Rutland Ry., Lt. & P. Co.....	1,709 34	
Returned from street pay rolls and supplies.....	41 87	
Street sweeping.....	30 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914.....	\$2,895 40	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914.....	24,252 36	
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Total.....	\$27,147 76	
Transferred to sidewalks.....	350 00	
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915.....	1,555 42	
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	\$29,053 18	\$29,053 18

SEWERS

Appropriation balance from 1913	\$2,247 88	
Less balance of appropriation void May 1, 1914	413 37	
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	\$1,834 51	
Appropriation May 1, 1914 to May 1, 1915	3,000 00	
Additional appropriation to May 1, 1915	3,800 00	
Additional appropriation to May 1, 1915	800 00	
Cash, Tremont street sewer	200 00	
Paid warrants Jan. 1, 1914 to May 1, 1914	\$1,834 51	
Paid warrants May 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914	7,744 59	
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Total	\$9,579 10	
Balance of appropriation to May 1, 1915	55 41	
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	\$9,634 51	\$9,634 51

TEMPORARY LOAN WARRANTS

No. 27, cash borrowed, (1913 account)	\$10,000 00	
No. 28, cash borrowed	15,000 00	
No. 29, cash borrowed	15,000 00	
No. 30, cash borrowed	10,000 00	
No. 31, cash borrowed	10,000 00	
No. 32, cash borrowed	10,000 00	
No. 33, cash borrowed	10,000 00	
No. 34, cash borrowed	15,000 00	
No. 35, cash borrowed	10,000 00	
No. 36, cash borrowed	15,000 00	
Paid warrants	\$105,000 00	
No. 36, (outstanding)	\$15,000 00	
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	\$120,000 00	\$120,000 00

WATER

Cash balance from 1913	\$33,592 81	
Schedule rate service	26,575 36	
Meter rate service	13,741 68	
Hay sold, Mendon lands	220 00	
Barn sold on Sawyer place	25 00	
Supplies sold and incidentals	176 24	
Interest on water deposits	1,179 82	

Paid warrants	\$31,629 16	
Cash balance to 1915	43,881 75	
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	\$75,510 91	\$75,510 91

TAX LEVY

Grand List 1914, \$108,448.32

From tax payers	\$190,238 89	
From H. R. Adams, Constable	1,030 00	
Abatements to H. R. Adams, constable	279 36	
Balance due from H. R. Adams, constable	3,198 86	
State school	8 per cent	\$8,675 87
State highway	5 per cent	5,422 42
Highway	20 per cent	21,689 66
School	50 per cent	54,224 16
General	89 per cent	96,519 01
Sinking fund	7½ per cent	8,133 62
County	½ per cent	542 24
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	180 per cent	\$195,206 98
Less abatement to treasurer	743 40	
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	\$194,463 58	
5% added to delinquents	211 23	
723 names in warrant	72 30	
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	\$194,747 11	\$194,747 11

TAX LEVY 1913

Balance to 1914	\$2,435 53	
Cash, H. R. Adams, constable	\$1,175 00	
Abatements	286 55	
Balance to 1915	973 98	
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	\$2,435 53	\$2,435 53

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TAX LEVY 1912

Balance to 1914.....		\$2,892 75	
Cash, H. R. Adams.....	\$801 00		
Abatements.....	306 73		
Balance to 1915.....	1,785 02		
	<u>\$2,892 75</u>	<u>\$2,892 75</u>	

TAX LEVY 1911

Balance to 1914.....		\$2,201 95	
Cash, H. R. Adams, constable.....	\$630 00		
Abatements.....	417 86		
Balance to 1915.....	1,154 09		
	<u>\$2,201 95</u>	<u>\$2,201 95</u>	

TAX LEVY 1910

Balance to 1914.....		\$359 05	
Cash, H. R. Adams, constable.....	\$20 00		
Abatements.....	207 60		
Balance to 1915.....	131 45		
	<u>\$359 05</u>	<u>\$359 05</u>	

TAX LEVY 1909

Balance to 1914.....		\$144 02	
Cash, H. R. Adams, constable.....	12 75		
Abatements.....	87 18		
Balance to 1915.....	44 09		
	<u>\$144 02</u>	<u>\$144 02</u>	

TAX LEVY 1908

Balance to 1914.....		\$512 45	
Abatements.....	\$311 40		
Balance to 1915.....	201 05		
	<u>\$512 45</u>	<u>\$512 45</u>	

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TAX LEVY, 1907

Balance to 1914.....		\$443 89	
Cash, H. R. Adams, constable.....	\$50 00		
Abatements.....	330 50		
Balance to 1915.....	63 39		
	<u>\$443 89</u>	<u>\$443 89</u>	

TAX LEVY, 1906

Balance to 1914.....		\$77 05	
Abatements.....	\$77 05		
	<u>\$77 05</u>	<u>\$77 05</u>	

TAX LEVY, 1905

Balance to 1914.....		\$192 10	
Cash, H. R. Adams, constable.....	\$13 00		
Abatements.....	152 69		
Balance to 1915.....	26 41		
	<u>\$192 10</u>	<u>\$192 10</u>	

TAX LEVY, 1904

Balance to 1914.....		\$15 55	
Abatements.....	15 32		
Balance to 1915.....	23		
	<u>\$15 55</u>	<u>\$15 55</u>	

STATEMENT OF THE BONDED DEBT OF THE CITY, DECEMBER 31, 1914

WATER DEBT

Coupon bonds, 3½ per cent, due January, 1929.....	\$30,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due May, 1924.....	50,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due November, 1924....	15,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due November, 1924....	50,000 00
Refunding note, 4 per cent, due November, 1925...	2,000 00
	<u>\$147,000 00</u>

GENERAL DEBT

Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due May, 1924.....	\$100,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due November, 1924....	50,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due June, 1926.....	25,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due November, 1938....	21,000 00
	<u>196,000 00</u>

SCHOOL DEBT

Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due November, 1919....	\$10,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due May, 1925.....	30,000 00
Refunding note, 4 per cent, due November, 1925...	5,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due May, 1937.....	50,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due May, 1938.....	20,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, \$2,000.00 due November 1, 1915, and \$2,000.00 each succeeding year.....	14,000 00
	<u>129,000 00</u>

SEWER DEBT

Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due November, 1924....	\$25,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due May, 1926.....	75,000 00
Coupon bonds, 4 per cent, due May, 1938.....	16,000 00
	<u>116,000 00</u>

	Appropriation balance from 1913	Additional ap- propriation to May 1, 1914	Appropriation void May 1, 1914	Cash Credits	Appropriations to May 1, 1913	Total Credits	Total Dis- bursements Jan. 1, 1914 to Dec. 31, 1914	Credit balance to May 1, 1915
Charities and corrections...	\$1703 45		\$211 07	\$321 13	\$4700 00	\$6513 51	\$4747 90	\$1765 61
Dog fund.....	3020 35			570 05		570 05	8 50	561 55
Fire.....	8608 02	\$1000 00		202 65	11000 00	15223 00	12382 72	2840 28
General.....	875 00		5774 38	2947 41	34861 55	40642 60	33649 76	6992 84
Hospital.....	3173 46				3500 00	4375 00	3500 00	875 00
Interest.....	1500 00		1636 43		22000 00	23537 03	20476 00	3061 03
Library.....	3462 45	1350 00			3000 00	4500 00	3000 00	1500 00
Lights.....			28 15		14000 00	18784 30	14655 15	4129 15
Liquor license.....				12350 00		12350 00	12350 00	
Police.....	987 53	750 00	5 28	10 00	5000 00	6742 25	5417 55	1324 70
Salaries.....	1800 00		56 50		5500 00	7244 00	6000 17	1243 83
Schools.....				10643 58	53972 71	64616 29	64209 12	407 17
School building fund.....				8555 49		8555 49	8555 49	
Sinking fund.....					8000 00	8000 00	8000 00	
Sidewalks.....	505 92	350 00		95 32	2168 96	3120 20	3039 13	81 07
Streets.....	3873 90		350 00	4658 58	20320 70	29053 18	27147 76	1555 42
Sewers.....	2247 88		413 37	200 00	7600 00	9634 51	9579 10	55 41
Temporary loan warrants.....				110000 00		110000 00	105000 00	
Taxes.....				75510 91		75510 91	31629 16	43881 75
Water.....				190238 89				
Delinquent taxes.....				3731 75				
Balance from 1913.....				4572 98				
Cash to 1915.....							51261 23	
Totals.....	\$31757 96	\$3450 00	\$8475 18	\$424608 74	\$195823 92	\$448972 32	\$424608 74	\$70274 81

Note—Jan. 1, 1914, Temporary loan warrant No. 27 from 1913, \$10,000.00 paid.
Dec. 31, 1914, Temporary loan warrant No. 36, 1914 account, \$15,000.00 outstanding.

CITY HALL DEBT

Coupon bonds, 3½ per cent, due September, 1931...	\$20,000 00	
		\$20,000 00
Total bonded debt.....		\$608,000 00
Less sinking fund, water.....	\$60,195 21	
Less sinking fund, general.....	174,045 59	234,240 80
		373,759 20
Net bonded debt of city, December 31, 1913.....	\$394,513 58	
Net bonded debt of city, December 31, 1914.....	373,759 20	
		\$20,754 38
Decrease of bonded debt for year ending December 31, 1914...	\$20,754 38	

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DECREASE OF DEBT.

1914 general appropriation to sinking fund.....	\$8,000 00
1914 water appropriation to sinking fund.....	3,225 00
\$1,000.00 school bonds paid from general fund.....	1,000 00
Net amount earned by sinking fund.....	10,529 38
	\$22,754 38
Less school bonds issued.....	2,000 00
	\$20,754 38

Balance Sheet as Per City Treasurer's Books as of Dec. 31st, 1914

ASSETS

Real estate, buildings and improvements:	
City hall.....	\$50,000 00
City poor farm.....	7,000 00
Isolation hospital.....	2,500 00
Storehouse, South and Post Sts.....	1,000 00
Fire station No. 2.....	2,000 00
Main Street Park (nominal value).....	1,000 00
Memorial hall.....	40,000 00

Old reservoir lot, Woodstock Ave.....	\$ 2,000 00
Schoolhouse, Church St.....	30,000 00
Schoolhouse, East Center St.....	25,000 00
Schoolhouse (High) Center St.....	50,000 00
Schoolhouse, Lincoln Ave.....	30,000 00
Schoolhouse, Madison St.....	10,000 00
Schoolhouse, Park St.....	20,000 00
Schoolhouse, Pine St.....	15,000 00
Schoolhouse, School St.....	10,000 00
Schoolhouse, Watkins Ave.....	15,000 00
Stone quarry, North Main St.....	1,000 00
Water works.....	350,000 00
	\$661,500 00

(No estimate made of value of streets and sewers)

Current Assets:—

Cash, general.....	\$6,972 31
Cash, water.....	43,881 75
Cash, schools.....	407 17
Interest (earned, but not due).....	607 62
Delinquent taxes.....	7,578 57
Delinquent water rents, schedule.....	295 75
Delinquent water rents, meter.....	521 10
Delinquent water rents, meter.....	1,067 14
Sidewalk assessments.....	391 94
Miscellaneous account.....	295 64
City property and supplies as per inventory ...	54,613 65
	116,632 64

Sinking funds assets:

Cash.....	\$1,740 80
Investments.....	232,500 00
	234,240 80

Total Assets.....\$1,012,373 44

LIABILITIES

Bonds and notes:

Water.....	\$147,000 00
General.....	196,000 00
Schools.....	129,000 00
Sewer.....	116,000 00
City hall.....	20,000 00
	\$608,000 00

Accounts Payable:

Streets	\$1,727 58
Sidewalks	438 54
General	988 90
Bond interest (accrued but not due)	4,395 00
Temporary loan warrant No. 36 (outstanding)	15,000 00
Schools	5,590 00
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	\$28,140 02

\$636,140 02

Assets in excess of all liabilities

\$1,012,373 44

Respectfully submitted,
WILL L. DAVIS,
City Treasurer.

Rutland, Vt., January 26, 1915

Examined this day, found to be correct and approved by us
accordingly.

(Signed)

C. TURNER,
JAKE HEYMAN,
GEO C. COBB,
Auditors for the City of Rutland, Vt.

Detailed List of Orders Drawn on City Treasurer

GENERAL ACCOUNT

No.		Amount
19402	Amount returned on street pay roll	\$22 50
19406	C. B. Dolge Co., fumigators	105 84
19409	Amount returned on street pay roll	18 00
19410	Amount returned on police pay roll	6 00
19422	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	70
19423	H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies	6 65
19424	W. C. Landon & Co., duster	2 25
19425	Rutland Mfg. Co., sign post	7 00
19426	Burroughs Adding Machine Co., casters	1 31
19427	The Herald, publishing ordinance	4 79
19428	The General Supply Co., ink wells	5 00
19429	Murray Printing Co., cards	2 60
19430	Parker & Ryan, office stools	8 00
19435	H. B. Whittier, paid for stamps	6 00
19447	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer	92 00
19453	Amount returned on street pay roll	18 00
19454	Amount returned on police pay roll	18 00
19459	Dr. H. R. Ryan, examination of insane and expenses	24 90
19462	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, fumigating, December and January	44 00
19466	Amount returned on street pay roll	18 00
19470	H. A. Sawyer & Co., pencils and twine	45
19478	B. F. Sturtevant Co., ventilating set	80 00
19479	Geo. A. Bucklin & Co., ironite	19 20
19480	Holmes Iron Co., placing cells	26 71
19481	Chas. Considine, trucking cells	75
19482	M. J. Francisco & Son, insurance premiums	60 00
19483	A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing	2 75
19484	Dodge, the Printer, printing	1 00
19485	W. J. LaVoice, bookcase	2 50
19486	The Howe Scale Co., scale slips	16 25
19495	H. B. Whittier, paid express	2 16
19504	Francis Tracy, work at isolation hospital	4 75
19508	Francis Tracy, work and supplies, police station	21 33

No.	Amount
19509 Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer.....	50 00
19510 C. Reed, placing and removing polling booths.....	19 00
19514 The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight on cells.....	9 00
19515 Hugh Duffy, coal.....	104 38
19516 Amount returned on street pay roll.....	18 00
19519 Pay roll, city election.....	304 00
19521 J. J. Morse, team, polling places.....	2 00
19522 Geo. E. Chalmers, typewriter ribbons.....	7 00
19523 The American City, subscription, etc.....	2 25
19524 H. A. Manning & Co., directories.....	12 00
19525 The Champion Iron Co., cells.....	125 00
19526 Elliott-Fisher Co., repairing typewriter.....	31 50
19527 Library Bureau, cabinet and cards.....	52 08
19528 Remington Typewriter Co., cylinder.....	1 00
19529 The Tuttle Co., city reports, check lists, ballots, etc.....	551 97
19530 H. E. Seward, Jr., sharpening lawn mower.....	1 00
19534 The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills.....	1 58
19537 Dr. F. H. O'Connor, Est., examination of insane by Dr. O'Connor.....	2 50
19538 Ellen M. Anderson, making assessors' cards.....	25 00
19542 Amount returned on street pay roll.....	27 00
19549 Billings & Davis, paint, etc.....	65
19552 Dunn Brothers, dynamite, etc.....	22 34
19554 Murray Printing Co., printing.....	2 35
19555 Rutland Machine & Auto. Co., repairs.....	75
19556 W. C. Landon, ice tongs, etc.....	1 32
19557 H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies, etc.....	3 48
19558 Parker & Ryan, table.....	4 50
19559 A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing.....	12 00
19560 James H. Dunn, one-half bond premium.....	2 00
19561 Henry C. Farrar, one-half bond premium.....	2 50
19562 Henry F. Field, one-half bond premium.....	6 25
19563 Francis Tracy, one-half bond premium.....	1 25
19564 M. J. Francisco & Son, insurance premiums.....	20 40
19565 Holmes Iron Co., work on cells.....	\$9 25
19566 The Herald, publishing warning, etc.....	12 86
19567 B. W. Marshall, filing burial permits.....	9 00
19572 H. B. Whittier, bond premium, etc.....	16 10
19575 Rutland R. L. & P. Co., mantle and labor.....	1 00
19580 James J. Fay, bookbinding, etc.....	6 20
19582 Francis Tracy, work at police station, etc.....	57 75
19583 A. C. Grover, one-half bond premium.....	5 00
19585 Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer.....	50 00

No.	Amount
19594 E. D. Wickham, one-half bond premium.....	2 50
19595 Hugh Duffy, coal.....	95 19
19596 Pay roll, assessors' canvassers.....	69 50
19597 Amount returned on street pay roll.....	18 00
19602 Rutland Railroad Co., freight bill.....	42
19603 Murray Printing Co., printing.....	3 70
19605 Rutland News Co., advertisements.....	6 75
19606 James Pitaniello, canvassing for assessors.....	15 00
19607 Frank Foster, canvassing for assessors.....	5 16
19608 Geo. P. McGuirk, canvassing for assessors.....	1 42
19617 Will L. Davis, one-half bond premium.....	25 00
19618 C. B. Dolge Co., fumigators.....	110 25
19621 Amount returned on street pay roll.....	18 00
19638 Parker & Ryan, table.....	5 50
19643 Francis Tracy, repairs.....	3 65
19644 H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies.....	8 04
19645 John N. Woodfin, one-half bond premium.....	5 00
19646 The Tuttle Co., printing.....	15 26
19647 A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing.....	15 25
19651 Will L. Davis, telegrams.....	2 04
19652 H. B. Whittier, postals, etc.....	16 50
19656 Rutland R. L. & P. Co., work and supplies.....	3 20
19658 Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer.....	51 63
19659 Billings & Davis, paint, etc.....	13 55
19663 Hugh Duffy, coal.....	80 53
19667 Amount returned on street pay roll.....	170 05
19676 Edmond Cooney, filing burial permits.....	10 00
19677 The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills.....	97
19684 Walter A. Clark, one-half bond premium.....	1 75
19688 Amount returned on street pay roll.....	110 64
19692 S. P. Curtis & Son, cement.....	16 00
19693 Lincoln Iron Works, pipe, etc.....	77 84
19694 W. C. Landon & Co., sickle and shears.....	85
19703 Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber.....	39 56
19706 H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies.....	87
19708 J. H. Frenier, one-half bond premium.....	1 75
19709 Rutland News Company, publishing notices.....	70
19710 The Herald, publishing notices.....	1 55
19711 A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing.....	6 75
19712 Post Roberts G. A. R., memorial day appropriation.....	200 00
19714 State tax.....	5,335 71
19715 County tax.....	533 57
19718 Will L. Davis, telegram.....	25

No.		Amount
19719	H. B. Whittier, making caucus check list, etc.	64 34
19727	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	1 00
19730	The Tuttle Co., printing and supplies	7 85
19731	Hugh Duffy, coal	233 79
19732	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer	67 00
19733	New England T. & T. Co., tolls	50
19734	Will L. Davis, expenses city attorney and treasurer to Troy	7 59
19735	A. J. Hubbard, repairing town clock	11 00
19737	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., repairs	70
19738	Geo. F. Pease, stamped envelopes	10 00
19741	Amount returned on street pay roll	105 90
19747	J. W. Fiske Iron Works, traffic stanchion and plate	7 55
19750	Chas. H. Landon, one-half bond premium	2 80
19756	W. L. Robb, services, lighting contract	50 00
19760	Rutland Railroad Company, freight bills	9 35
19764	Amount returned on street pay roll	46 89
19767	Amount returned on water pay roll	58
19772	H. B. Whittier, stamps	2 00
19780	H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies	5 81
19787	Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber	42 03
19788	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	35 20
19789	W. C. Landon & Co., shovels and hods	3 67
19791	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies and repairing clock	33 03
19794	B. W. Marshall, filing burial permits	15 50
19795	D. J. Canty, one-half bond premium	3 75
19796	H. F. Noyes, lumber	25 00
19797	The Tuttle Co., caucus check lists, etc.	63 23
19798	Dodge, the Printer, assessors' notices	20 50
19808	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., tar	3 75
19813	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer	84 00
19814	F. A. McCarthy, one-half bond premium	1 00
19818	Amount returned on street pay roll	39 00
19836	D. J. Anthony, one-half bond premium	1 75
19838	Rutland City Band, account appropriation	500 00
19839	Amount returned on street pay roll	40 50
19849	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairing door	96
19859	A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing	16 00
19861	James J. Fay, record books	17 50
19863	H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies	1 09
19864	Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber	113 41
19871	H. B. Whittier, making school returns, etc.	24 70
19885	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer	88 00

No.		Amount
19886	W. E. Reynolds, work at cemeteries	8 00
19888	W. C. Landon & Co., door brush	3 50
19891	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	6 00
19892	Amount returned on street pay roll	49 25
19907	Burroughs Adding Machine Co., platen	1 50
19908	O. E. Maguire, work at cemeteries	13 00
19909	Geo. E. Chalmers, typewriter ribbons	7 00
19913	Amount returned on street pay roll	60 45
19919	W. C. Landon & Co., duster	2 25
19925	Parker & Ryan, rake	45
19928	Billings & Davis, paint and brushes	2 65
19936	Vermont Mutual Fire Ins. Co., assessments	63 75
19937	Elliott-Fisher Co., spring	40
19938	H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies	1 66
19939	A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing	28 50
19940	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs	5 88
19941	The Tuttle Co., paper	1 10
19949	H. B. Whittier, stamps and postals	51 00
19953	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., work and supplies	7 25
19958	Edmond Cooney, filing burial permits	7 75
19959	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer	55 00
19963	Pay roll, republican caucus	27 00
19967	Amount returned on street pay roll	295 09
19978	Rutland City Band, balance appropriation	584 48
19979	Kinsman & Mills, work, etc., cemetery	21 77
19985	D. W. Temple, use of team for assessors	42 50
19989	Rutland City Band, services, carnival	260 00
19995	International Fireworks Co., fireworks, carnival	400 00
19996	Metzger Bros., decorating, carnival	200 00
19997	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, carnival	200 00
19998	Rutland Carnival Committee, balance appropriation	24 48
19999	W. L. Robb, services, lighting contract	50 00
20001	Amount returned on street pay roll	47 97
20010	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bill	39
20011	H. A. Sawyer & Co., mops and ink	3 50
20014	H. F. Noyes, lumber	43 24
20017	The Herald, advertising taxes	18 00
20018	Geo. E. Lassar, germicide outfit	1 25
20019	The First National Bank of Boston, certifying notes	50 00
20020	M. J. Francisco & Son, bridge insurance	16 40
20021	Marsden Electric Co., supplies and work	20 95
20022	State school tax	8,537 13
20023	State highway tax	5,335 71

No.		Amount
20024	Library Bureau, index cards.....	54 00
20025	H. F. Noyes, lumber.....	25 00
20026	The Tuttle Co., caucus ballots, etc.....	21 92
20030	Hugh Duffy, slabs.....	5 00
20031	A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing.....	4 25
20032	B. W. Marshall, filing burial permits.....	7 50
20035	H. B. Whittier, postals.....	10 00
20040	Billings & Davis, tools, paint, etc.....	4 00
20042	Dunn Brothers, floor brush.....	2 75
20048	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer.....	62 00
20054	Amount returned on street pay roll.....	43 17
20055	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	6 00
20059	H. C. Farrar, insurance premium.....	62 50
20060	Martin L. Gleason, teams for assessors.....	83 00
20061	Rutland News Company, advertising taxes.....	26 50
20062	Hugh Duffy, coal, isolation hospital.....	9 00
20063	John B. Stearns, bed, etc., hospital.....	3 75
20064	The Combination Cash Store Co., bedding, hospital.....	14 58
20072	Billings & Davis, lawn mower.....	9 00
20077	C. E. Mann, serving notice.....	2 00
20081	Amount returned on street pay roll.....	205 14
20089	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills.....	96
20090	Dunn Brothers, repairs, isolation hospital, etc.....	5 48
20093	Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber.....	52 38
20094	W. C. Landon & Co., shovels.....	3 58
20097	C. B. Dolge Co., fumigators.....	100 25
20098	H. F. Noyes, lumber.....	92 75
20099	Parker & Ryan, nails.....	2 00
20100	Geo. E. Chalmers, time books.....	35
20101	A. J. Novak Printing Co., cards.....	3 00
20102	Murray Printing Co., election blanks.....	2 40
20103	Geo. F. Leonard, one-half bond premium.....	1 00
20104	B. A. Adams, repairs, library.....	2 06
20105	H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies.....	3 48
20107	Pasquale Mazzariello and wife, tax rebate.....	9 00
20108	H. Stuart Rule, tax rebate.....	3 60
20109	R. I. Olney, tax rebate.....	3 60
20118	H. B. Whittier, stamps.....	10 00
20123	Louis Elkey, delivering ballots.....	1 25
20129	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement.....	72 00
20131	The Cudahy Packing Co., soap powder.....	7 35
20132	Dodge, the Printer, printing.....	35 20
20134	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer.....	119 00

No.		Amount
20136	C. Reed, placing and removing polling booths.....	19 00
20137	Chas. E. Barker, tax rebate.....	21 60
20138	Warner O. Bates, tax rebate.....	90
20139	Sinking Fund Commissioners, school bond, No. 568.....	1,000 00
20142	Amount returned on street pay roll.....	218 75
20146	Pay roll, freemen's meeting.....	438 00
20152	The Tuttle Co., check lists, etc.....	152 09
20153	Marion C. Hoyt, nursing, isolation hospital.....	231 40
20154	A. J. Hubbard, repairing town clock.....	4 00
20155	C. B. Dolge Co., fumigators.....	10 00
20156	J. F. Moloney, one-half bond premium.....	\$1 00
20157	The Herald, advertising taxes.....	14 40
20163	Amount returned on street pay roll.....	82 15
20168	Lincoln Iron Works, iron rods.....	98 53
20169	W. C. Landon & Co., cement, etc.....	77 94
20173	Dunn Brothers, floor brush.....	1 50
20174	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement.....	32 00
20175	H. F. Noyes, lumber and nails.....	54 35
20176	Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber.....	7 68
20177	A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing.....	5 75
20181	Marsden Electric Co., switch.....	75
20182	Warren-Reed Electric Co., desk light, etc.....	5 60
20190	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer.....	162 00
20191	Walter A. Clark, insurance premium.....	15 00
20192	Clement National Bank, rent of deposit box.....	17 50
20193	Parker & Ryan, nails.....	2 00
20200	H. B. Whittier, postals.....	2 50
20207	Billings & Davis, tools, etc.....	10 88
20208	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., use of car.....	3 00
20210	H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies.....	1 30
20214	Angelo Cioffi, tax rebate.....	3 60
20215	Jas. McLaughlin Est., gravel.....	12 50
20216	Rutland Probate Court, fees.....	6 00
20217	The Tuttle Co., cash book.....	19 50
20222	Wm. Kerrigan, work at city hall.....	14 00
20229	Amount returned on street pay roll.....	69 92
20235	Pascal Ricci, assisting assessors, 1913.....	15 00
20243	C. B. Dolge Co., fumigators.....	81 59
20245	Billings & Davis, supplies.....	2 60
20246	H. B. Whittier, stamps.....	3 50
20249	Henry R. Adams, serving citation.....	2 00
20250	P. J. Canty, work at city farm.....	89 30
20252	P. M. Meldon, petitions, etc., insane.....	150 00

No.	Amount
20253	Amount returned on street pay roll.....
20263	W. C. Landon & Co., glass and duster.....
20265	Marsden Electric Co., shades.....
20266	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills.....
20271	B. A. Adams, repairing boiler, Memorial hall.....
20272	R. W. Ford & Co., rubber stamp.....
20273	C. B. Dolge Co., fumigators.....
20274	Dr. C. F. Ball, filing certificates.....
20275	Dr. A. H. Bellerose, filing certificates.....
20276	Dr. C. S. Caverly, filing certificates.....
20277	Dr. T. A. Cootey, filing certificates.....
20278	Dr. H. L. Crahan, filing certificates.....
20279	Dr. M. R. Crain, filing certificates.....
20270	Dr. N. J. Delehanty, filing certificates.....
20281	Dr. Chas. A. Gale, filing certificates.....
20282	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, filing certificates.....
20283	Dr. O. J. Gilchrist, filing certificates.....
20284	Dr. Wm. H. Grinnell, filing certificates.....
20285	Dr. E. I. Hall, filing certificates.....
20286	Dr. J. M. Hamilton, filing certificates.....
20287	Dr. S. W. Hammond, filing certificates.....
20288	Dr. J. D. Hanrahan, filing certificates.....
20289	Dr. L. A. Heidel, filing certificates.....
20290	Dr. W. G. Hodsdon, filing certificates.....
20291	Dr. T. E. Larnier, filing certificates.....
20292	Dr. M. J. Mangan, filing certificates.....
20293	Dr. E. M. Pond, filing certificates.....
20294	Dr. B. C. Powers, filing certificates.....
20295	Dr. F. E. Quigley, filing certificates.....
20296	Dr. Geo. Rustedt, filing certificates.....
20297	Dr. H. R. Ryan, filing certificates.....
20298	Dr. R. E. Smith, filing certificates.....
20299	Dr. Wm. Stickney, filing certificates.....
20300	Dr. J. E. Thomson, filing certificates.....
20301	B. W. Marshall, filing burial permits.....
20302	Ed. Cooney, filing burial permits.....
20303	Rev. N. Proulx, filing burial permits.....
20311	H. B. Whittier, registration and scale fees and cash paid out.....
20315	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, services as health officer.....
20318	The Tuttle Company, printing quadrennial appraisal and for supplies.....
	241 10
	117 00
	400 85

No.	Amount
20320	Rutland News Company, advertisement.....
20321	H. A. Sawyer & Co., office supplies.....
20322	S. E. Lawton, paid sheriff's fees.....
	1 40
	83
	2 00
	<u>\$33,063 81</u>

STREET DEPARTMENT

19402	Pay roll, period ending January 17.....	\$113 72
19409	Pay roll, period ending January 31.....	174 20
19412	A. C. Grover, part of January salary.....	16 67
19413	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed.....	8 87
19414	Harry La Valley, repairing sleds.....	8 50
19415	E. D. Keyes & Co., salt.....	51
19441	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing.....	4 20
19449	Chas. F. Willis, cart harness.....	8 00
19453	Pay roll, period ending February 14.....	87 80
19466	Pay roll, period ending February 28.....	330 56
19469	A. C. Grover, part of February salary.....	16 67
19470	H. A. Sawyer & Co., snow shovels.....	2 60
19471	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed.....	13 00
19472	Parker & Ryan, shovel.....	1 00
19473	W. C. Landon & Co., shovels.....	90
19474	E. D. Keyes & Co., salt.....	2 55
19499	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing.....	4 00
19516	Pay roll, period ending March 14.....	181 01
19536	Robert Weir, treating horse.....	2 00
19541	Adams & Densmore, concrete work.....	91 16
19542	Pay roll, period ending April 4.....	365 73
19545	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed.....	17 94
19546	E. D. Keyes & Co.....	12 49
19547	Northern Produce Co., hay.....	5 99
19548	People's Coal Co., use of sled.....	10 00
19549	Billings & Davis, supplies and repairs.....	4 55
19578	A. C. Grover, part of March salary.....	16 67
19579	Belleville & Gravel.....	7 80
19589	F. R. Blanchard, part of salary as commissioner of public works.....	100 00
19597	Pay roll, period ending April 18.....	318 31
19600	Edson Mfg. Co., acct. engine and pump.....	33 00

No.		Amount
19615	Billings & Davis, tools and repairs	17 44
19621	Pay roll, period ending May 2	546 05
19624	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies and repairs	14 05
19625	Dunn Brothers, exploders	2 02
19626	Semet-Solvay Co., calcium chloride	25 72
19627	Frenier Automobile Co., repairing truck	265 54
19628	W. C. Landon & Co., tools, etc.	6 53
19629	W. S. Smith Co., rubber boots	5 50
19630	Standard Oil Co., kerosene	2 00
19631	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe	14 00
19632	Burditt Bros., feed	7 90
19652	H. B. Whittier, paid for truck license	24 00
19663	Hugh Duffy, slabs	4 25
19667	Pay roll, period ending May 16	589 00
19671	Harold L. Bond Co., suction hose	35 00
19672	Ingersoll-Sergeant Drill Co., valve	3 28
19686	John Connors, gravel	36 90
19688	Pay roll, period ending May 30	715 22
19693	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies and repairs	81 73
19694	W. C. Landon & Co., tools, etc.	9 97
19695	New England Road Mach. Co., sweeper broom	35 00
19696	Semet-Solvay Co., calcium chloride	218 49
19697	The Barber Asphalt Paving Co., asphalt	484 28
19698	The Albany Belting & Supply Co., tar heating tank ..	71 73
19699	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	25 50
19700	John Deere Plow Co. plow	15 84
19701	Dunn Brothers, dynamite, etc.	10 84
19702	Parker & Ryan, level	1 00
19703	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe	28 00
19726	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	70
19727	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	63 13
19729	Burditt Bros., feed	6 94
19741	Pay roll, period ending June 13	614 15
19745	Harold L. Bond Co., battery	10 00
19746	A. W. Goddard Hardware Co., shovels	3 10
19760	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	6 01
19761	A. C. Grover, part of April and May salary	83 34
19764	Pay roll, period ending June 30	1,415 08
19772	H. B. Whittier, paid express	69
19775	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	8 50
19776	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	1 77
19777	Joseph Gagnon, hay	9 30
19778	The Good Roads Machinery Co., road machine	125 00

No.		Amount
19779	The Standard Oil Co., gasoline	25 80
19780	H. A. Sawyer & Co., twine	20
19781	Parker & Ryan, nails	4 05
19782	Hugh Duffy, slabs	9 00
19783	Burditt Bros., feed	5 70
19789	W. C. Landon & Co., tools and hose	9 40
19790	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., oil	9 66
19791	Lincoln Iron Works, castings, etc.	390 51
19793	H. C. Farrar, insurance, auto truck	52 50
19808	Dunn Brothers, dynamite, etc.	23 68
19817	A. C. Grover, part of June salary	41 67
19818	Pay roll, period ending July 18	1,597 65
19822	Frenier Automobile Co., repairs and tires, truck	220 78
19829	The Barber Asphalt & Paving Co., asphalt	483 00
19839	Pay roll, period ending August 1	1,306 16
19843	A. C. Grover, part of July salary, etc.	46 67
19844	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies and repairs	17 93
19845	B. M. Fuller, gravel	95 00
19846	S. M. Willson, coal	146 21
19847	Est. of Emma Guerrin, rent of quarry to June 1, 1915.	75 00
19848	Parker & Ryan, nails and hasp	4 13
19849	Rutland Mfg. Co., stakes	4 00
19850	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	23 80
19851	H. F. Noyes, lumber	3 40
19852	Ingersoll-Sergeant Drill Co., drill	135 55
19853	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	5 70
19860	Burditt Bros., feed	5 90
19862	Dunn Brothers, dynamite, etc.	17 64
19865	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	1 85
19887	Norton Hardware Co., dynamite	14 70
19888	W. C. Landon & Co., tools	2 96
19891	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	57 77
19892	Pay roll, period ending August 15	1,322 27
19896	Semet-Solvay Co., calcium chloride	66 89
19897	Rensselaer Stone Co., screenings	45 60
19898	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	1 34
19899	The Good Roads Machinery Co., crusher repairs	17 25
19912	The Barber Asphalt & Paving Co., asphalt	487 80
19913	Pay roll, period ending September 5	1,875 51
19917	A. C. Grover, part of August salary	41 67
19918	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies and repairs	77 36
19919	W. C. Landon & Co., oil and supplies	29 82
19920	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	23 80

No.		Amount
19921	Norton Hardware Co., exploders	3 96
19922	Albany Belting & Supply Co., valve	2 15
19923	B. M. Fuller, gravel	80 00
19924	H. F. Noyes, right of way to Jan. 15, 1915	25 00
19925	Parker & Ryan, tools, etc.	4 09
19926	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	16 13
19927	Dunn Brothers, dynamite, etc.	21 68
19928	Billings & Davis, tools, etc.	18 40
19929	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	22 80
19930	F. Chaffee's Sons, gravel	1 25
19933	New England T. & T. Co., toll	20
19956	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., oil, etc.	5 50
19965	W. B. Pratt, hay	16 79
19967	Pay roll, period ending September 19	855 95
19971	Rensselaer Stone Co., screenings	18 49
19972	New England Road Machine Co., can	3 00
19973	The Menzies Street Cleaner Co., cart and scraper	18 00
19974	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	6 35
19975	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., car and oil	9 50
19976	Holmes Iron Co., grates, etc.	28 24
19987	Frenier Automobile Co., repairing truck	229 42
19988	Fred W. Hayward, slating	6 20
20001	Pay roll, period ending October 3	824 56
20005	A. C. Grover, part of September salary	41 66
20006	Parker & Ryan, screen	94
20007	Frenier Automobile Co., repairing truck	6 90
20008	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies and repairs	16 46
20009	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	17 40
20010	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	56 61
20011	H. A. Sawyer & Co., brooms	1 66
20012	Bert A. Adams, repairing sprinkler	12 49
20040	Billings & Davis, tools, etc.	9 21
20041	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., coal	28 08
20042	Dunn Brothers, dynamite, etc.	21 68
20043	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	5 15
20044	Barrett Mfg. Co., tarvia	113 72
20045	Katie McLaughlin, gravel	5 50
20051	Standard Oil Co., road oil and gasoline	1,148 86
20054	Pay roll, period ending October 17	537 25
20057	Barrett Mfg. Co., tarvia	137 66
20058	B. M. Fuller, gravel	13 60
20081	Pay roll, period ending October 31	587 87
20085	A. C. Grover, part of October salary	41 67

No.		Amount
20086	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies and repairs	3 63
20087	International Motor Co., pulley for truck	3 53
20088	A. Duval, attending horse	5 00
20089	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	33 00
20090	Dunn Brothers, dynamite, etc.	14 45
20091	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries	2 00
20092	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	18 20
20093	Chaffee Lumber Co., glass, etc.	4 88
20104	Bert A. Adams, plug and labor	1 34
20112	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	3 35
20128	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., oil	4 00
20129	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	6 60
20142	Pay roll, period ending November 14	276 97
20147	J. H. Monette, blacksmithing	80
20163	Pay roll, period ending December 5	843 90
20167	A. C. Grover, part of November salary	41 67
20168	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies and repairs	20 53
20169	W. C. Landon & Co., glass	1 84
20170	Norton Hardware Co., dynamite	17 83
20171	W. E. Conner, use of car	5 00
20172	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	16 00
20173	Dunn Brothers, can	35
20174	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	13 10
20178	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	6 80
20206	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., gravel and coal	331 48
20207	Billings & Davis, supplies	1 38
20208	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., oil, etc.	12 50
20229	Pay roll, period ending December 19	144 10
20245	Billings & Davis, tools, etc.	10 35
20248	B. L. Cramton, gravel	80
20253	Pay roll, period ending January 2	207 00
20258	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., repairing truck	29 68
20259	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	8 30
20260	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	9 71
20326	A. C. Grover, part of December salary	41 67

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STATE ROAD ACCOUNT

No.		Amount
20054	Pay roll, period ending October 17	\$50 20
20081	Pay roll, period ending October 31	110 42
20142	Pay roll, period ending November 14	242 33
20163	Pay roll, period ending December 5	133 78
20206	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., gravel	696 00
20223	Barker L. Cramton, gravel	122 20
20224	Rev. J. M. Brown, gravel	50 00
20225	Pay roll, South Main street	1,641 27
20229	Pay roll, period ending December 19	5 45
20248	Barker L. Cramton, gravel	52 40
20253	Pay roll, period ending January 2	447 75
		<hr/> \$3,551 80

SIDEWALK DEPARTMENT

19402	Pay roll, period ending January 17	\$47 58
19409	Pay roll, period ending January 31	51 26
19451	Adams & Densmore, concrete work	67 50
19453	Pay roll, period ending February 14	136 97
19466	Pay roll, period ending February 28	34 28
19475	W. H. Brooks, sand	33 75
19516	Pay roll, period ending March 14	8 45
19541	Adams & Densmore, concrete work	410 67
19542	Pay roll, period ending April 4	7 83
19597	Pay roll, period ending April 18	1 74
19776	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight on forms	1 71
19786	Malone Concrete Steel Form Co., forms	200 00
19913	Pay roll, period ending September 5	11 72
20001	Pay roll, period ending October 3	155 39
20054	Pay roll, period ending October 17	191 14
20081	Pay roll, period ending October 31	167 93
20086	Lincoln Iron Works, iron rods	42 93
20090	Dunn Brothers, coal hods	90
20093	Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber	12 45
20094	W. C. Landon & Co., tools	14 67
20125	Jas. McLaughlin's Est., gravel	12 50

No.		Amount
20129	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	112 00
20142	Pay roll, period ending November 14	227 10
20148	W. H. Brooks sand	42 75
20163	Pay roll, period ending December 5	284 66
20168	Lincoln Iron Works, iron rods	11 80
20169	W. C. Landon & Co., cement, etc.	124 26
20174	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	113 60
20175	H. F. Noyes, lumber	5 45
20207	Billings & Davis, tools	5 75
20209	W. H. Brooks, sand	130 50
20210	H. A. Sawyer & Co., twine	40
20229	Pay roll, period ending December 19	25 33
20234	W. H. Brooks, sand	27 00
20245	Billings & Davis, paper	2 50
20248	B. L. Cramton, gravel	21 40
20253	Pay roll, period ending January 2	252 80
20264	Dunn Brothers, coal hods	1 20
20263	W. C. Landon & Co., cement, etc.	33 13
20267	S. Terrill & Son, repairing snow plows	6 13
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SEWER DEPARTMENT

19402	Pay roll, period ending January 17	\$51 95
19409	Pay roll, period ending January 31	17 88
19412	A. C. Grover, part of January salary	16 66
19416	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe	7 00
19452	A. H. Pierce, repairing sewer	5 25
19453	Pay roll, period ending February 14	24 88
19466	Pay roll, period ending February 28	38 27
19469	A. C. Grover, part of February salary	16 66
19507	Lincoln Iron Works, casting	2 93
19516	Pay roll, period ending March 14	57 83
19542	Pay roll, period ending April 4	105 28
19578	A. C. Grover, part of March salary	16 66
19597	Pay roll, period ending April 18	376 10
19600	Edson Mfg. Co., acct. engine and pump	33 46
19601	The Combination Cash Store Co., rubber boots	12 95
19615	Billings & Davis, tools	18 50
19621	Pay roll, period ending May 2	507 98

No.		Amount
19624	Lincoln Iron Works, hose bibb	85
19630	Standard Oil Co., kerosene oil	3 00
19631	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe and lumber	58 48
19633	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	3 25
19634	George E. Lassar, mirror	25
19635	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	149 30
19636	Holmes Iron Co., forms, rods, etc.	147 27
19637	H. F. Noyes, lumber	33 10
19666	F. H. Remington, services and supplies	128 77
19667	Pay roll, period ending May 16	494 88
19673	Portland Stoneware Co., sewer pipe	196 57
19675	Holmes Iron Co., iron	42 84
19688	Pay roll, period ending May 30	358 83
19692	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	127 00
19694	W. C. Landon & Co., tools, etc.	3 78
19701	Dunn Brothers, wire	1 02
19703	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe	34 15
19704	H. F. Noyes, lumber	30 00
19705	The Combination Cash Store Co., rubber boots	5 96
19726	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	1 90
19727	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	36 60
19741	Pay roll, period ending June 13	293 41
19751	Edson Mfg. Co., valve	75
19791	A. C. Grover, part of April and May salary	83 32
19764	Pay roll, period ending June 30	270 11
19779	Standard Oil Co., kerosene oil	2 50
19784	American Sewer Pipe Co., sewer pipe	854 96
19785	Rutland Railroad Co., freight on sewer pipe	419 02
19787	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe and lumber	140 70
19788	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	37 80
19789	W. C. Landon & Co., tools, etc.	7 96
19791	Lincoln Iron Works, oakum	1 75
19816	F. H. Remington, sewer work	37 98
19817	A. C. Grover, part of June salary	41 67
19818	Pay roll, period ending July 18	325 39
19839	Pay roll, period ending August 1	378 95
19843	A. C. Grover, part of July salary	41 66
19848	Rutland Mfg. Company, stakes	4 00
19853	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	26 80
19854	Miles-Chapman Co., stake chain	35
19865	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	5 50
19883	The Combination Cash Store Co., rubber boots	11 92
19888	W. C. Landon & Co., tools and lime	3 25

No.		Amount
19890	F. H. Remington, services and supplies	46 77
19892	Pay roll, period ending August 15	300 03
19913	Pay roll, period ending September 5	519 36
19917	A. C. Grover, part of August salary	41 66
19918	Lincoln Iron Works, castings, etc.	256 21
19919	W. C. Landon & Co., tools, etc.	9 04
19926	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	16 00
19928	Billings & Davis, tools and rope	9 60
19931	W. S. Smith, Co., rubber boots	28 50
19932	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe, etc.	73 17
19967	Pay roll, period ending September 19	57 06
20002	Pay roll, period ending October 3	418 18
20005	A. C. Grover, part of September salary	41 67
20009	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	16 00
20013	W. C. Landon & Co., handles	3 65
20014	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe	81 92
20040	Billings & Davis, shovels	17 25
20051	Standard Oil Co., kerosene oil	2 50
20054	Pay roll, period ending October 17	334 04
20081	Pay roll, period ending October 31	379 25
20085	A. C. Grover, part of October salary	41 66
20090	Dunn Brothers, dynamite, etc.	12 86
20093	Chaffee Lumber Co., brick, etc.	11 53
20094	W. C. Landon & Co., handles	3 00
20129	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	24 00
20142	Pay roll, period ending November 14	260 43
20147	J. H. Monette, blacksmithing	25 45
20163	Pay roll, period ending December 5, 1914	67 58
20167	A. C. Grover, part of November salary	41 66
20172	Standard Oil Co., kerosene oil	2 50
20176	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe	8 04
20229	Pay roll, period ending December 19	111 64
20245	Billings & Davis, rope, etc.	1 06
20253	Pay roll, period ending January 2	89 59
20261	Perrin, Seamans & Co., sewer rods and wormers	16 53
20262	Chaffee Lumber Co., sewer pipe	3 96
20266	Rutland Railroad Co., freight on rods, etc.	35
20323	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	5 95
20326	A. C. Grover, part of December salary	41 66

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WATER DEPARTMENT

No.		Amount
19401	Interest on bonds	\$525 00
19402	Pay roll, period ending January 17	194 84
19407	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	27 50
19409	Pay roll, period ending January 31	225 24
19412	A. C. Grover, part of January salary	16 67
19415	E. D. Keyes & Co., salt	3 06
19421	Dunn Brothers, dipper, etc.	1 76
19422	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	10 81
19427	The Herald, advertisement	94
19431	Rensselaer Valve Co., valve	10 74
19432	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	10 78
19433	C. H. Kinney, assisting treasurer	27 50
19435	H. B. Whittier, stamps and express	5 66
19441	Belleville & Gravelle, blacksmithing	1 00
19442	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., service boxes	82 56
19446	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
19447	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	1 65
19450	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., tapping machine	67 50
19453	Pay roll, period ending February 14	117 24
19457	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	10 78
19460	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19464	Paid for Hinckley water rights, Mendon	1,200 00
19465	Paid for Hinckley farm, Mendon	800 00
19466	Pay roll, period ending February 28	230 71
19469	A. C. Grover, part of February salary	16 67
19474	E. D. Keyes & Co., salt	3 71
19476	Murray Printing Co., printing	2 00
19489	Manning Mfg. Co., packing and repairs	5 10
19490	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	9 28
19491	The Ashcroft Mfg. Co., charts for gauge	5 10
19492	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19495	H. B. Whittier, stamps, etc., recording fees, Mendon ..	5 80
19506	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., screws	10
19507	Lincoln Iron Works, waste and tees	1 35
19509	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	1 50
19511	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
19512	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., batteries	1 50
19515	Hugh Duffy, coal	7 06
19516	Pay roll, period ending March 14	80 52

No.		Amount
19529	The Tuttle Co., boxes	1 20
19531	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	10 74
19532	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19534	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	6 79
19535	W. S. Smith Co., rubber boots	27 00
19541	Adams & Densmore, concrete work	30 07
19542	Pay roll, period ending April 4	255 95
19550	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
19552	Dunn Brothers, dipper	1 50
19564	M. J. Francisco & Son, insurance premium	5 67
19568	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	12 00
19572	H. B. Whittier, stamps	5 00
19575	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., thawing water pipes, etc.	137 37
19577	Paid for Stebbins property, Mendon	500 00
19578	A. C. Grover, part of March salary	16 67
19581	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19585	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	1 86
19589	F. R. Blanchard, part of salary as commissioner of public works	100 00
19595	Hugh Duffy, coal and slabs	9 25
19597	Pay roll, period ending April 18	147 72
19600	Edson Mfg. Co., engine and pump	33 00
19609	Rensselaer Valve Co., valves	132 00
19610	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	11 49
19611	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight	7 30
19613	Interest on bonds	2,300 00
19614	Interest on refunding note	40 00
19619	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19621	Pay roll, period ending May 2	236 80
19624	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies	5 34
19628	W. C. Landon & Co., tools and handles	4 40
19630	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	11 01
19633	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	2 05
19647	A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing	5 25
19648	The Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., hydrants	191 09
19649	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19652	H. B. Whittier, recording fees, Mendon	50
19658	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	1 68
19665	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
19670	Pay roll, period ending May 16	191 55
19677	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	3 91
19678	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19679	The Rutland Garage Co., auto to Mendon	4 00

No.		Amount
19680	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	10 75
19683	A. M. Byers Co., galv. iron pipe	47 63
19687	Pay roll, water inspection	40 00
19691	Pay roll, period ending May 30	461 92
19692	S. P. Curtis & Son, cement	1 60
19693	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies	25 40
19694	W. C. Landon & Co., sperm oil	1 00
19702	Parker & Ryan, hinges, file, etc.	2 05
19703	Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber	7 80
19716	Manning Mfg. Co., oil	16 20
19717	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19719	H. B. Whittier, stamps	5 00
19726	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	1 50
19727	Rutland Railroad Company, freight bills	2 13
19730	The Tuttle Co., water rent book	9 50
19732	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, postage, express and inspections..	4 84
19733	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
19737	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., batteries, etc.	2 10
19744	Pay roll, period ending June 13	189 97
19753	Interest on bonds	525 00
19755	Paid for Thornton farm, Mendon	3,000 00
19757	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19760	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	1 78
19761	A. C. Grover, part of April and May salary	83 34
19762	Paid for Blandin water rights, Mendon	750 00
19763	Paid for Mageen water rights, etc.	300 00
19767	Pay roll, period ending June 30	303 98
19768	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., cocks and couplings	309 29
19769	Chadwick-Boston Lead Co., lead pipe	44 71
19770	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19772	H. B. Whittier, recording Mendon deeds, express, etc.	5 19
19775	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	3 75
19776	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	6 91
19779	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	10 53
19785	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	4 63
19789	W. C. Landon & Co., tools and oil	6 13
19790	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., clamps, etc.	90
19791	Lincoln Iron Works, pipe, fittings, etc.	118 87
19798	Dodge, the Printer, printing	14 50
19799	The Chapman Valve Mfg. Co., couplings	9 50
19800	Manning Mfg. Co., engine repairs	3 10
19801	The Herald, advertising water rents	13 34
19802	Rensselaer Valve Co., valve boxes	72 00

No.		Amount
19803	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	21 81
19812	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
19813	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	2 27
19817	A. C. Grover, part June salary	41 66
19821	Pay roll, period ending July 18	265 61
19824	Murray Printing Co., rent notices	1 75
19825	A. M. Byers Co., galv. iron pipe	186 81
19826	Builders Iron Foundry, special castings	121 99
19827	The Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., frost cases	51 98
19828	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., spuds and repairs	29 33
19835	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19842	Pay roll, period ending August 1	266 02
19843	A. C. Grover, part of July salary	41 67
19844	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies	53 70
19849	Rutland Mfg. Co., stakes, etc.	5 00
19850	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	7 35
19857	Hugh Duffy, slabs	4 50
19865	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	4 25
19866	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., service boxes	82 56
19867	John Fox & Co., cast iron pipe	336 71
19868	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19871	H. B. Whittier, stamps, express, etc.	13 00
19881	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries	1 50
19885	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	1 60
19888	W. C. Landon & Co., hammers, etc.	4 88
19889	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
19891	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	18 23
19895	Pay roll, period ending August 15	207 16
19898	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	17 63
19900	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	11 42
19901	Ware Coupling & Nipple Co., couplings, etc.	12 18
19902	National Meter Company, meters	521 75
19903	Thomson Meter Company, meters	352 80
19904	Pittsburgh Meter Co., meters	150 41
19905	The Herald, advertising water rents	10 00
19906	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19916	Pay roll, period ending September 5	293 62
19917	A. C. Grover, part of August salary	41 67
19918	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies	4 46
19919	W. C. Landon & Co., sperm oil	1 10
19925	Parker & Ryan, steel	3 68
19927	Dunn Brothers, exploders, etc.	3 01
19928	Billings & Davis, tools	1 95

No.		Amount
19933	New England T. & T. Co.	1 50
19935	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries, etc.	1 20
19942	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	10 60
19943	Andrew J. Morse & Son, expansion rings	3 00
19944	National Meter Co., repairs	2 10
19945	The Creamery Package Mfg. Co., lumber	12 79
19946	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
19949	H. B. Whittier, stamps and express	5 13
19959	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, inspections, etc.	40 19
19960	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., cocks, couplings, etc.	70 94
19961	Eliza E. Rose, building fence	13 22
19964	Water rent rebates	10 50
19970	Pay roll, period ending September 19	116 97
19974	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	8 05
19980	The Ford Meter Box Co., meter box covers	11 61
19981	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	14 12
19990	City of Burlington, bleaching powder	11 40
19993	Paid for Davis farm, Mendon	2,350 00
19994	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
20000	Appropriation for changing Mendon road	1,000 00
20004	Pay roll, period ending October 3	208 02
20005	A. C. Grover, part of September salary	41 67
20008	Lincoln Iron Works, specials, etc.	29 05
20010	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	79
20015	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries, etc.	3 30
20027	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., couplings, etc.	14 35
20028	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	13 60
20029	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
20035	H. B. Whittier, paid express	\$1 69
20040	Billings & Davis, shovels	11 50
20041	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., repairs, Merchants Row	64 50
20042	Dunn Brothers, repairs	55
20043	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	2 20
20046	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
20048	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, inspections, etc.	41 80
20049	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	7 76
20051	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	35 12
20061	Rutland News Company, advertising water rents	25 15
20065	The Ashcroft Mfg. Co., cover for gauge	2 00
20066	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	14 07
20073	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
20074	Interest on bonds	2,300 00
20075	Pay roll, period ending October 17	149 96

No.		Amount
20076	Sinking fund appropriation	3,225 00
20084	Pay roll, period ending October 31	207 09
20085	A. C. Grover, part of October salary	41 67
20086	Lincoln Iron Works, pipe, etc.	32 40
20090	Dunn Brothers, wicking	10
20091	Warren-Reed Electric Co., battery	30
20092	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	7 35
20105	H. A. Sawyer & Co., broom	40
20110	The Ford Meter Box Co., meter box covers	13 14
20111	Edward Dana, searching records	55 00
20112	The Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., gaskets	4 29
20113	National Meter Co., meter, etc.	126 08
20114	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	14 89
20115	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
20118	H. B. Whittier, stamps and express	8 35
20132	Rutland Mfg. Co., derrick leg, etc.	4 75
20134	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	4 85
20141	Interest on refunding note	40 00
20145	Pay roll, period ending November 14	212 07
20149	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
20162	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
20166	Pay roll, period ending December 5	315 50
20167	A. C. Grover, part of November salary	41 67
20168	Lincoln Iron Works, repairs and supplies	26 71
20172	Standard Oil Co., gasoline	9 92
20173	Dunn Brothers, sprinkler, etc.	1 45
20178	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	2 70
20182	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries	1 80
20190	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	1 71
20194	W. S. Smith, Co., rubber boots	5 50
20195	E. D. Keyes & Co., salt	96
20196	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	13 62
20197	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	1 77
20198	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
20205	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 50
20207	Billings & Davis, shovels and tape	8 85
20218	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	13 48
20219	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight bills	10 67
20220	Boston Belting Co., rubber packing	40 60
20221	Rensselaer Valve Co., valves	79 10
20226	Chas. H. Landon, error, water rents	3 00
20227	Richards & Co., pig lead	86 98
20232	Pay roll, period ending December 19	185 27

No.		Amount
20236	United States Cast Iron Pipe & F. Co., pipe	273 69
20237	Builders Iron Foundry, special castings	80 74
20238	Hugh Duffy, slabs	9 00
20239	Town of Rutland, taxes	29 78
20240	Murray Printing Co., meter bills	5 50
20241	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
20242	The Delaware & Hudson Co., freight on pipe	44 96
20246	H. B. Whittier, stamps and express	4 70
20247	The Ludlow Vale Mfg. Co., hydrants	186 08
20251	Rensselaer Valve Co., valves	72 00
20256	Pay roll, period ending January 2	217 42
20257	Lincoln Iron Works, felt, etc.	48 79
20259	Belleville & Gravel, blacksmithing	2 50
20260	S. P. Curtis & Son, shavings	5 60
20262	Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber	6 62
20264	Dunn Brothers, ladle, pipe, etc.	4 90
20266	Rutland Railroad Company, freight bills	15 49
20304	E. D. Keyes & Co., salt	1 27
20305	Edson Mfg. Co., valves	1 17
20306	Parker & Ryan, nails	2 10
20307	The Dow Chemical Co., bleaching powder	14 02
20308	C. H. Kinney, assisting city treasurer	32 50
20311	H. B. Whittier, stamped envelopes, etc	1 33
20315	Dr. F. H. Gebhardt, paid postage and express	1 94
20324	Water rent rebates	4 00
20325	H. O. Carpenter, services and expenses, Mendon property	548 85
20326	A. C. Grover, part of December salary	41 67
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FIRE DEPARTMENT

19404	Pay roll, one-half month	\$329 66
19405	W. E. Gilman, trucking hose	3 00
19411	Pay roll, one-half month	508 54
19414	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	7 95
19418	Burditt Bros., feed	13 58
19419	West Disinfecting Co., disinfectant	17 00
19420	H. C. Farrar, insurance premium	13 50
19421	Dunn Brothers, metal polish and duster	5 10

No.		Amount
19443	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	25 67
19444	C. W. Spencer, ambulance service	2 50
19446	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
19448	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	3 42
19455	Pay roll, one-half month	348 16
19468	Pay roll, one-half month	438 66
19470	H. A. Sawyer & Co., mops	2 00
19471	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	2 24
19474	E. D. Keyes & Co., soap, etc.	9 50
19477	Burditt Bros., feed	23 02
19487	Dunn Brothers, grate bar, etc.	3 23
19488	American-La France F. E. Co., pole snaps	2 70
19495	H. B. Whittier, paid express	22
19500	I. Brooks, re-seating chairs	2 70
19501	A. A. Prouse, coffee, etc., for firemen	11 40
19502	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	2 90
19503	D. A. Barker, teams	5 50
19508	S. Terrill & Son, repairing wagons	36 80
19506	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., repairs	60
19511	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
19512	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	23 90
19515	Hugh Duffy, coal	68 20
19518	Pay roll, one-half month	333 73
19520	Northern Produce Co., hay	41 31
19540	The Surprise Dept. Store Co., clothing	48 85
19544	Pay roll, one-half month	428 25
19545	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	2 27
19550	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
19551	Burditt Bros., feed	17 85
19552	Dunn Brothers, boiler	9 78
19553	W. S. Smith Co., rubber boots	23 75
19575	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., work of fire alarm, etc.	228 26
19583	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	3 83
19588	Francis Tracy, part of salary as commissioner of public safety	100 00
19595	Hugh Duffy, coal	37 43
19599	Pay roll, one-half month	309 16
19602	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bill	88
19615	Billings & Davis, harness soap	80
19623	Pay roll, one-half month	435 83
19625	Dunn Brothers, repairing bowl	1 47
19630	Standard Oil Co., kerosene oil	2 00
19632	Burditt Bros., feed	24 01

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No.		Amount
19640	D. A. Barker, teams	2 00
19641	F. L. Pelkey, shoeing horses	9 25
19642	Northern Produce Co., hay	1 05
19656	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	27 22
19662	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	4 53
19663	Hugh Duffy, coal	23 27
19665	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
19669	Pay roll, one-half month	315 41
19685	Henry K. Barnes & Co., soda	3 36
19690	Pay roll, one-half month	452 83
19701	Dunn Brothers, duster	2 03
19706	H. A. Sawyer & Co., mops	3 00
19707	Harry LaValley, shoeing horses	11 60
19727	Rutland Railroad Co., freight bills	35
19728	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	7 18
19729	Burditt Bros., feed	38 31
19731	Hugh Duffy, coal	29 73
19733	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
19737	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	24 34
19743	Pay roll, one-half month	339 16
19748	Clauson Shoe Company, repairs	65
19749	Billings & Davis, repairs and supplies	7 72
19766	Pay roll, one-half month	456 08
19772	H. B. Whittier, paid express	30
19777	Joseph Gagnon, hay	128 08
19779	Standard Oil Co., kerosene oil	2 00
19780	H. A. Sawyer & Co., brooms	1 19
19782	Hugh Duffy, coal	72 32
19783	Burditt Bros., feed	19 70
19789	W. C. Landon & Co., supplies	4 70
19792	Rutland Garage Co., oil, etc.	3 20
19808	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	28 15
19809	Dunn Brothers, dusters	1 20
19810	J. H. Monette, horse shoeing	3 75
19811	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	5 11
19812	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
19815	H. C. Farrar, insurance premiums	12 73
19816	F. H. Remington, stall beds, etc.	136 72
19820	Pay roll, one-half month	339 16
19823	Boston Belting Co., hose	352 80
19841	Pay roll, one-half month	456 58
19853	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	7 50
19857	Hugh Duffy, coal	8 84

CITY OF RUTLAND

No.		Amount
19858	S. Terrill & Son, repairing wagon	12 15
19859	A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing	2 50
19860	Burditt Bros., feed	20 83
19861	James J. Fay, record book	5 00
19862	Dunn Brothers, repairs	1 35
19871	H. B. Whittier, paid express	88
19875	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	28 03
19878	George E. Lassar, medicine	75
19882	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	3 87
19884	F. L. Pelkey, horse shoeing	9 75
19889	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
19894	Pay roll, one-half month	339 16
19915	Pay roll, one-half month	459 58
19919	W. C. Landon & Co., repairs	1 00
19926	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	7 80
19928	Billings & Davis, chamois skins	2 20
19932	Chaffee Lumber Co., lumber	1 50
19933	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
19934	D. A. Barker, teams	2 00
19935	Warren-Reed Co., installing box	8 98
19953	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	46 65
19957	Burditt Bros., feed	8 07
19965	W. B. Pratt, hay	79 86
19966	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	5 00
19969	Pay roll, one-half month	356 16
19977	H. C. Farrar, insurance premiums	273 50
19991	D. A. Barker, teams, carnival	18 00
19992	Burt Powell, banners, carnival	2 00
20003	Pay roll, one-half month	468 62
20013	W. C. Landon & Co., bridles	8 00
20016	Burditt Bros., feed	13 66
20041	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	17 05
20046	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
20047	J. H. Monette, horse shoeing	9 50
20051	Standard Oil Co., kerosene oil	2 00
20056	Pay roll, one-half month	316 66
20083	Pay roll, one-half month	437 83
20094	W. C. Landon & Co., soap	3 00
20095	Burditt Bros., feed	11 70
20118	H. B. Whittier, paid for quilts	4 54
20124	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	4 92
20129	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	18 00
20131	J. H. Eitapence, truck, carnival	4 00
20144	Pay roll, one-half month	309 16

No.		Amount
20147	J. H. Monette, horse shoeing	3 50
20149	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
20151	George E. Lassar, sponges	2 50
20160	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	14 40
20165	Pay roll, one-half month	453 33
20172	Standard Oil Co., kerosene oil	2 00
20173	Dunn Brothers, repairs	16 05
20174	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	9 00
20177	A. J. Novak Printing Co., letter heads	1 25
20183	A. H. Abraham, sponges	1 00
20184	Rutland Garage Co., oil and repairs	6 85
20185	Board of School Commissioners, ground rent of Nick- wackett building to July 1, 1914	18 00
20186	The Kinox Company, kinox, etc.	75
20187	Rutland Mfg. Co., lumber	6 45
20188	F. L. Pelkey, horse shoeing	11 45
20189	Burditt Bros., feed	13 91
20205	New England T. & T. Co., service	1 00
20206	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	17 30
20207	Billings & Davis, glass, etc.	40
20212	D. A. Barker, teams and use of horse	80 00
20213	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	4 63
20231	Pay roll, one-half month	319 66
20233	D. A. Barker, horse	175 00
20255	Pay roll, one-half month	413 58
20260	S. P. Curtis & Son, feed	18 00
20263	W. C. Landon & Co., straps and duster	6 25
20264	Dunn Brothers, grate and dusters	3 70
20267	S. Terrill & Son, repairing wagons	22 40
20269	Burditt Bros., feed	17 34
20316	Hugh Duffy, coal	67 01
20317	Mrs. L. A. Wood, laundry work	3 42
20319	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, etc.	15 80
20321	H. A. Sawyer & Co., brooms	4 87
20323	J. H. Monette, horse shoeing	8 40
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		\$12,382 72

POLICE DEPARTMENT

No.		Amount
19403	Pay roll, one-half month	\$196 17
19410	Pay roll, one-half month	190 16
19417	A. Kruse, repairing overcoats	1 00
19435	H. B. Whittier, paid for stamps	1 00
19443	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., repairs and batteries	3 75
19446	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls	18 24
19454	Pay roll, one-half month	188 17
19467	Pay roll, one-half month	194 17
19476	Murray Printing Co., printing	2 25
19511	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls	15 84
19512	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., batteries, etc.	1 40
19517	Pay roll, one-half month	188 16
19543	Pay roll, one-half month	186 17
19550	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls	13 94
19575	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., repairs and supplies	18 37
19588	Francis Tracy, part of salary as commissioner of public safety	100 00
19598	Pay roll, one-half month	185 17
19604	John B. Stearns, pillows	2 50
19616	Ross-Huntress Co., bedding	5 30
19622	Pay roll, one-half month	186 16
19639	C. W. Spencer, mattresses	9 24
19656	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., repairs, etc.	8 00
19665	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls	17 09
19668	Pay roll, one-half month	188 17
19674	Charles Sterns & Co., blankets	5 00
19689	Pay roll, one-half month	196 21
19733	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls	15 98
19737	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., batteries	80
19742	Pay roll, one-half month	191 17
19765	Pay roll, one-half month	204 16
19808	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., batteries	60
19812	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls	15 48
19819	Pay roll, one-half month	216 17
19840	Pay roll, one-half month	234 17
19855	The E. Howard Clock Co., record dials	16 00
19856	Marsden Electric Co., batteries	1 20
19871	H. B. Whittier, paid express	30
19875	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., spring	25
19881	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries	60

No.		Amount
19889	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls.....	18 18
19893	Pay roll, one-half month.....	216 17
19914	Pay roll, one-half month.....	220 16
19933	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls.....	15 18
19949	H. B. Whittier, paid for stamps.....	1 00
19953	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., spring, etc.....	85
19962	S. M. Spencer Mfg. Co., badges.....	9 10
19968	Pay roll, one-half month.....	372 17
20002	Pay roll, one-half month.....	223 16
20015	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries and repairs.....	4 00
20040	Billings & Davis, locks.....	4 50
20046	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls.....	16 67
20055	Pay roll, one-half month.....	218 17
20082	Pay roll, one-half month.....	214 16
20091	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries.....	60
20096	Marsden Electric Co., changing light and signal.....	14 81
20143	Pay roll, one-half month.....	186 17
20149	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls.....	21 28
20150	H. Greenland, repairing overcoats.....	12 50
20164	Pay roll, one-half month.....	190 17
20177	A. J. Novak Printing Co., letter heads.....	1 25
20181	Marsden Electric Co., batteries, etc.....	2 80
20182	Warren-Reed Electric Co., batteries.....	1 40
20205	New England T. & T. Co., service and tolls.....	15 08
20206	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., repairs.....	25 22
20211	Francis Tracy, repairing sink.....	4 20
20230	Pay roll, one-half month.....	187 17
20254	Pay roll, one-half month.....	184 17
20265	Marsden Electric Co., repairing signal system.....	16 00
20268	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairing chairs and table.....	2 75
		\$5,417 55

LIGHT ACCOUNT

19443	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, January.....	\$1,201 40
19512	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, February.....	1,196 40
19575	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, March.....	1,191 55
19656	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, April.....	1,194 95
19737	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, May.....	1,185 40
19808	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, June.....	1,189 55

No.		Amount
19875	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, July.....	1,193 65
19953	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, August.....	1,191 02
20041	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, September.....	1,250 99
20160	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, October.....	1,275 77
20206	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, November.....	1,283 97
20246	H. B. Whittier, stamps.....	9 00
20270	A. J. Novak Printing Co., printing.....	1 25
20319	Rutland R. L. & P. Co., lights, December.....	1,290 25
		\$14,655 15

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

19440	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., January.....	\$388 73
19498	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., February.....	397 10
19570	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., March.....	427 25
19650	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., April.....	279 30
19725	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., May.....	284 69
19804	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., June.....	373 22
19869	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., July.....	239 26
19947	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., August.....	401 26
20033	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., September.....	587 06
20116	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., October.....	381 90
20179	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., November.....	501 85
20309	Peter Brousseau, overseer of the poor, expenses of dept., December.....	486 28
		\$4,747 90

LIBRARY ACCOUNT

No.	Amount
19664 Balance of 1913 appropriation.....	\$1,500 00
19713 Amount due on 1914 appropriation.....	750 00
20127 Amount due on 1914 appropriation.....	750 00
	<hr/> \$3,000 00

SALARY ACCOUNT

19408 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	\$30 00
19434 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, January.....	130 00
19435 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, January.....	125 00
19436 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19437 C. Turner, salary as auditor.....	25 00
19438 Jake Heyman, salary as auditor.....	25 00
19439 George C. Cobb, salary as auditor.....	25 00
19461 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19493 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, February.....	130 00
19494 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19495 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, February.....	125 00
19533 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19571 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, March.....	130 00
19572 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, March.....	125 00
19573 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19587 Henry C. Brislin, salary as mayor, 1913.....	200 00
19590 Frank Conniff, salary as inspector of buildings.....	100 00
19591 J. N. Woodfin, salary as sinking fund commissioner.....	25 00
19592 N. K. Chaffee, salary as sinking fund commissioner.....	25 00
19593 H. F. Field, salary as sinking fund commissioner.....	25 00
19612 A. Scoville, salary as messenger, one-half month.....	30 00
19620 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	18 00
19651 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, April.....	130 00
19652 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, April.....	125 00
19653 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00

No.	Amount
19654 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	16 00
19681 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	8 00
19682 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19718 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, May.....	130 00
19719 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, May..	125 00
19720 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	12 00
19721 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19740 P. M. Meldon, salary as city attorney.....	100 00
19758 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19759 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	12 00
19771 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, June.....	130 00
19772 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, and assisting assessors.....	200 00
19773 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19774 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	18 00
19830 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19831 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	12 00
19832 C. Turner, auditing accounts of school commissioners....	7 50
19833 Jake Heyman, auditing accounts of school commissioners..	7 50
19834 George C. Cobb, auditing accounts of school commissioners..	7 50
19870 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, July.....	130 00
19871 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, July	125 00
19872 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19873 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	12 00
19910 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19911 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	12 00
19948 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, August.....	130 00
19949 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, August.....	125 00
19950 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19951 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	18 00
19982 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
19983 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	12 00
19984 F. A. Field, 59 days' services as assessor.....	177 00
19985 D. W. Temple, 58 days' services as assessor.....	174 00
19986 J. B. Dyer, 57 days' services as assessor.....	171 00
20034 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, September.....	130 00
20035 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, September.....	125 00
20036 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
20037 Esther E. Anderson, assisting assessors.....	12 00
20052 Frank Conniff, salary as inspector of buildings, one-half year.....	50 00

No.	Amount
20067 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
20068 Esther E. Anderson, assisting clerk and assessors.....	12 00
20069 F. A. Field, 72 days' services, quadrennial appraisal.....	216 00
20070 D. W. Temple, 67 days' services, quadrennial appraisal....	201 00
20071 J. B. Dyer, 67 days' services, quadrennial appraisal.....	201 00
20117 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, October.....	130 00
20118 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent.....	125 00
20119 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
20120 Esther E. Anderson, assisting clerk.....	12 00
20140 H. C. Brislin, salary as mayor, 1914.....	100 00
20158 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
20159 Esther E. Anderson, assisting clerk.....	12 00
20199 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, November.....	130 00
20200 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent Nov- ember.....	125 00
20201 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
20202 Esther E. Anderson, assisting clerk.....	18 00
20228 P. M. Meldon, salary as city attorney, eight months....	66 67
20244 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
20310 W. L. Davis, salary as treasurer, December.....	130 00
20311 H. B. Whittier, salary as clerk and purchasing agent, December.....	125 00
20312 A. Scoville, salary as messenger.....	30 00
	<hr/> \$6,000 17

HOSPITAL ACCOUNT

19496 Amount due on appropriation.....	\$875 00
19722 Amount due on appropriation.....	875 00
19877 Amount due on appropriation.....	875 00
20126 Amount due on appropriation.....	875 00
	<hr/> \$3,500 00

INTEREST ACCOUNT

No.	Amount
19458 Discount on temporary loan warrant No. 28.....	\$456 49
19497 Interest on bonds.....	350 00
19575 Discount on temporary loan warrant No. 29.....	356 54
19613 Interest on bonds.....	8,440 00
19614 Interest on refunding note.....	100 00
19655 Discount on temporary loan warrants Nos. 30 and 31.....	374 00
19739 Interest on bonds.....	500 00
19754 Discount on temporary loan warrant No. 32.....	124 58
19805 Discount on temporary loan warrants Nos. 33 and 34.	278 14
19837 Discount on temporary loan warrant No. 35.....	106 25
19952 Interest on bonds.....	350 00
20074 Interest on bonds.....	8,440 00
20141 Interest on notes.....	100 00
20180 Interest on bonds.....	500 00
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TEMPORARY LOAN WARRANT ACCOUNT

20053 Temporary loan warrants, Nos. 27-35, inclusive.....	\$105,000 00
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LIQUOR ACCOUNT

19752 Treasurer of State of Vermont, liquor license fees.....	\$12,350 00
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CITY COURT ACCOUNT

19410 Amount returned on police pay roll.....	\$27 82
19445 Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	20 75
19454 Amount returned on police pay roll.....	11 10
19467 Amount returned on police pay roll.....	8 43
19513 Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	14 25
19543 Amount returned on police pay roll.....	13 71
19576 Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	16 75

No.		Amount
19598	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	2 00
19622	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	9 75
19657	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	31 75
19661	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	3 74
19664	Jesse Young, paid for boarding prisoners.....	4 57
19689	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	7 75
19723	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	18 00
19724	William Kelley, cleaning police station.....	4 00
19736	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	5 44
19765	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	12 95
19772	H. B. Whittier, paid for stamps.....	65
19806	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	4 73
19807	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	22 00
19840	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	29 00
19871	H. B. Whittier, paid for laundry work.....	40
19874	Thomas Horan, laundry work.....	1 10
19879	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	3 40
19880	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	24 25
19914	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	21 80
19954	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	28 20
19955	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	5 78
20002	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	16 50
20035	H. B. Whittier, paid for laundry work.....	40
20038	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	36 30
20039	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	8 50
20082	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	21 50
20098	Parker & Ryan, glass and putty.....	1 60
20118	H. B. Whittier, paid for laundry work.....	75
20121	William Kerrigan, repairing window, etc.....	1 15
20135	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	39 60
20143	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	85
20161	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	5 78
20164	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	15 95
20203	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	32 70
20204	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	4 76
20246	H. B. Whittier, paid for laundry work.....	40
20254	Amount returned on police pay roll.....	14 85
20313	Mrs. A. F. Chaffee, meals for prisoners.....	27 60
20314	Vermont House of Correction, commitment fees.....	2 69
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		\$585 95

DOG FUND

19539	Burt P. Carr, hens killed by dogs.....	\$2 50
20327	C. C. Hewett, hens killed by dogs.....	6 00
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		\$8 50

**LIST OF EMPLOYEES ON PAY ROLLS
RECEIVING \$300.00 OR MORE
DURING THE YEAR**

STREET, SEWER AND WATER DEPARTMENTS.

A. G. Perry	\$1,604 18
E. J. Walsh	922 92
John Howard	919 45
J. E. Creed	851 70
J. E. Creed (drawing gravel and contract for state road work)	2,136 04
Robt. Ross	834 80
E. E. Moore	803 55
W. L. Williams	690 00
P. Gaynor	683 42
*C. D. Morse	670 88
Thos. Brohan	644 10
T. P. Mulhern	630 00
F. W. Warren	628 00
Mike McLaughlin	606 09
James Hess	554 17
Peter Bedore	512 11
D. A. Barker	491 36
James Healey	490 62
W. E. Hack	479 45
Wm. Gilman	472 50
Thos. Callahan	465 33
Timothy O'Leary	454 02
I. E. Eggleston	453 67
W. E. Loomis	452 24
John Moriarity	448 60
M. Considine	431 50
W. J. Grover	415 99

Jas. McLaughlin	327 53
Frank Loomis	318 34
J. J. Pfenning	321 62
Geo. Cormier	317 73
Dennis O'Shea	302 17

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Jesse Young	\$825 00
P. H. Conlin	724 00
T. C. Elworth	714 00
S. C. Warren	700 00
Martin Kennedy	620 00
Tim Dwyer	556 00
T. C. Canty	511 00
*C. D. Morse (hacks)	17 25

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Dunn	\$497 92
O. R. Packard	930 00
J. P. Reedy	889 92
A. A. Coureelle	780 00
C. Sammon	779 50
R. H. Leonard	704 29
J. H. Sheridan	720 00
A. H. Koltowski	720 00
W. F. Wands	720 00
J. W. Cline	371 25
E. C. Mabury	315 44

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES, ETC.

Amount of State and County taxes; expenses of the annual City election, freemen's meeting, of making the grand list and quadrennial appraisal, and of the health department, including the expense of contagious diseases not included in the report of the department of charities and corrections, compiled from the foregoing detailed statement:

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

State tax.....	\$5,335 71
State school tax.....	8,537 13
State highway tax.....	5,335 71
County tax.....	533 57
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	\$19,742 12

ANNUAL CITY ELECTION

Election officers.....	\$216 00
Polling places.....	88 00
Preparing polling places.....	19 00
Check lists.....	99 13
Ballots and cards.....	65 00
Miscellaneous printing.....	3 75
Publishing warning and result of election.....	18 86
Sundry expenses.....	2 45
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	\$512 19

GENERAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER THIRD

Election officers.....	\$438 00
Polling places.....	93 00
Preparing polling places.....	19 00
Check lists.....	133 94
Ballots and cards.....	29 85
Miscellaneous printing.....	10 50
Stamps and cards for notices.....	24 00
Sundry expenses.....	4 50
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	\$752 79

ANNUAL REPORT

GRAND LIST

Assessors' salaries.....	\$522 00
Clerks' salaries.....	141 00
Canvassers' fees.....	91 08
Teams.....	42 50
Stamps and postals.....	29 05
Printing, etc.....	36 50
Sundries.....	4 15
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	\$866 28

QUADRENNIAL APPRAISAL

Assessors' salaries.....	\$618 00
Clerk's salary.....	96 00
Teams.....	83 00
Printing.....	7 50
Stamps.....	15 00
1500 appraisal books.....	397 87
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	\$1,217 37

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Placarding houses.....	\$424 00
Fumigations.....	292 00
Fumigating material.....	350 63
Inspections.....	202 00
Plumbing inspections.....	79 00
Policing quarantined houses.....	30 00
Medicine, isolation hospital.....	7 40
Repairs and supplies, isolation hospital.....	74 32
Nursing at isolation hospital.....	224 00
Printing, placards and sundries.....	5 20
Water inspection, postage, express, etc.....	108 61
Filing birth and death certificates.....	141 00
Filing burial permits.....	72 25
Registration fees.....	112 55
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	\$2,122 96

List of Bills Approved

BY THE

Board of School Commissioners

And Paid by the City Treasurer

January 1, 1914 to December 31, 1914

No.		Amount
907	American Woodworking Machinery Co., sundries	\$577 99
908	Pay roll No. 5	\$4,376 14
	Miscellaneous bills	1,948 90
909	Adams, Harold B., repairs	20 75
910	Allyn and Bacon, text books	1 06
911	American Book Co., text books	48 60
912	Babb, Edw. E. & Co., supplies	214 64
913	Birchard, C. C. & Co., text books	9 14
914	Burlington Venetian Blind Co., supplies	166 01
915	Cahee House Furnishing Co., sundries	2 75
916	Chalmers, Geo. E., supplies (\$45.58), text books (\$229.14)	274 72
917	Duffy, F. H. rent	10 00
918	Duffy, Hugh, fuel and lights	161 57
919	Educational Press Co., sundries	2 26
920	Eitapence, James H., repairs	47 02
921	Gebhardt, Dr. F. H., sundries	72 35
922	General Supply Co., supplies	5 50
923	Gleason, Martin L., sundries	6 00
924	Goddard Hardware Co., supplies	5 13
925	Goodwin Laundry, sundries	3 90
926	Hammett Co., J. L., supplies	5 42
927	Hartmon, Harry H., repairs	2 25
928	Heath, D. C. & Co., text books	4 03
929	Holmes Iron Co., repairs	7 22
930	Holt, Henry & Co., text books	4 08
931	Hostler, Henry J., sundries	17 25
932	Hubbard, A. J., repairs	4 00

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933	Kenyon, R. W., repairs	156 36
934	Keyes, E. D. & Co., supplies	9 44
935	Knott Apparatus Co., supplies	61 46
936	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs (\$2.00), supplies (\$47.10)	49 10
937	Lefevre, John, sundries	1 92
938	Locke, D. B., sundries	30 79
939	Metzger Brothers, repairs	1 75
940	Milton Bradley Co., supplies	7 50
941	Morris, W. E., sundries	38 65
942	Murdick-Durkee Co., supplies	4 68
943	Murray Printing Co., printing and adv.	3 50
944	New England Tel & Tel. Co., sundries	5 00
945	Parker and Ryan, repairs (\$54.48), sundries (75c.)	55 23
946	Parkhurst Store, supplies	5 80
947	Remington Typewriter Co., supplies	80 00
948	Rice, Warren R., repairs	18 00
949	Ross-Huntress Co., supplies	6 08
950	Rutland Mfg. Co., supplies	3 08
951	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., repairs (\$21.44), fuel and lights (\$26.32)	47 76
952	Sawyer, H. A. & Co., supplies	3 00
953	Scott, Foresman & Co., text books	6 40
954	Thomas, George W., repairs	181 21
955	Thomas, Isaac, sundries	4 50
956	Tracy, Francis, repairs	14 80
957	The Tuttle Company, supplies (25c.), text books (\$41.80)	42 05
958	Waite, G. Burr, repairs	2 25
959	Winters, Lawrence, sundries	13 00
961	Pay roll No. 6	\$4,406 74
	Miscellaneous bills	609 57
962	Adams, Harold B., repairs	3 00
963	American Book Co., text books	12 60
964	Babb, Edw. E. & Co., supplies	38 92
965	Chalmers, Geo. E., supplies (\$3.30), text books (\$74.03)	77 33
966	Church, R. M., supplies	2 25
967	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00
968	Dunn Brothers, repairs (\$60.61), supplies (\$3.95)	64 56
969	Eitapence, James H., repairs	40 55
970	Ginn and Company, supplies	6 23
971	Goldsmith, A. Florence, sundries	8 20
972	Goodwin Steam Laundry, sundries	3 12
973	Hammett, J. L. & Co., supplies	1 08
974	Keyes, E. D. & Co., supplies	4 00

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975	Landon, W. C. & Co., supplies	53 41
976	Lincoln Iron Works, supplies	1 55
977	Milton Bradley Co., supplies	12 73
978	Morris, W. E., sundries	4 85
979	Murdick-Durkee Co., supplies	6 28
980	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., sundries	10 10
981	Novak, Harry J., supplies	4 21
982	Parker & Ryan, repairs (\$6.90), supplies (\$3.50)	10 40
983	Parkhurst Store, supplies	1 20
984	Remington Typewriter Co., supplies	18 00
985	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs	2 70
986	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights....	44 95
987	Sawyer, H. A. & Co., supplies	28 38
988	The Tuttle Company, supplies	95 12
989	Burnham, F. H., insurance	11 57
990	Clark, Walter A., insurance	1 75
991	Field, Frederick A., insurance	15 00
992	Francisco, M. J. & Son, insurance	6 23
993	State Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	9 30
996	Pay roll No. 7	\$4,428 81
	Miscellaneous bills	874 05
997	American Book Co., text books	59 77
998	Amsden, Harrie A., sundries	3 22
999	Barnard, F. J. & Co., text books	56 70
1000	Boston Belting Co., repairs	12 50
1001	Brehmer's Music Store, supplies	3 00
1002	Burlington Venetian Blind Co., supplies	48 32
1003	Carpenter, H. O., Trustee, sundries	90 00
1004	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00
1005	Duffy, Hugh, fuel and lights	177 63
1006	Dunn Brothers, supplies	2 00
1007	Eitapence, James H., repairs	44 55
1008	Franklin, Etta, sundries	2 72
1009	Gardner, G. W., sundries	2 00
1010	Gilrain, Patrick, repairs	8 35
1011	Ginn & Company, text books	4 72
1012	Goddard Hardware Co., repairs	1 10
1013	Goodwin Laundry, sundries	2 61
1014	Howley, P. A., supplies	3 85
1015	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs (\$1.81), supplies (\$1.25)	3 06
1016	Lincoln Iron Works, repairs (96c.), supplies (\$1.55)	2 51
1017	Locke, D. B., sundries	11 45
1018	Longmans, Green & Co., text books	1 01
1019	Metzger Brothers, repairs	8 55

No.		Amount
1020	Morris, W. E., sundries	11 21
1021	Morse, J. J., sundries	3 00
1022	Murray Printing Co., printing and adv.	2 50
1023	Murdick-Durkee Co., supplies	7 51
1024	New England Tel. & Tel Co., sundries	5 05
1025	Parker & Ryan, repairs (\$15.05), supplies (\$52.04).....	67 09
1026	Parkhurst Store, supplies	9 30
1027	Rand, McNally & Co., text books	2 59
1028	Ross-Huntress Co., supplies	9 25
1029	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs (\$2.70), supplies (\$23.90)....	26 60
1030	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights....	38 93
1031	Sawyer, H. A. & Co., supplies	7 73
1032	Sterns, Chas. & Co., supplies	7 53
1033	Thomas, Isaac, sundries	4 75
1034	Tuttle Company, printing and adv. (\$57.71), supplies (\$43.43)	101 14
1035	Tyrrell, Fred T., supplies	1 00
1036	Waite, G. Burr, repairs	6 00
1037	Warren-Reed Electric Co., repairs	2 25
1038	Wood, Percy P., supplies	1 00
1041	Pay roll No. 8	\$4,534 41
	Miscellaneous bills	739 73
1042	Atkinson, Mentzer & Co., supplies	37 50
1043	Babb, Edw. E. & Co., text books	9 58
1044	Birchard, C. C. & Co., text books	11 92
1045	Carl Fischer Music House, text books	1 22
1046	Center Rutland Store, supplies	1 20
1047	Chalmers, George E., repairs	1 10
1048	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00
1049	Duffy, Hugh, fuel and lights	274 91
1050	Eitapence, James H., repairs	14 17
1051	Elkey, Henry, sundries	6 00
1052	Gebhardt, Dr. F. H., sundries	5 65
1053	Ginn & Company, text books	72 80
1054	Goodwin Laundry, sundries	4 72
1055	Hascall, G. M., repairs	6 00
1056	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs (\$1.90), supplies (\$16.10)	18 00
1057	Longmans, Green & Co., text books	2 77
1058	Morris, W. E., sundries	8 70
1059	Murdick-Perkins Co., supplies	5 26
1060	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., sundries	5 54
1061	Otter Creek Dairy Farm, supplies	1 44
1062	Parker & Ryan, repairs (75c.), supplies (\$2.60).....	3 35
1063	Parkhurst Store, supplies	10 50

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1064	Readsboro Chair Co., repairs	51 25
1065	Ross-Huntress Co., supplies	22 53
1066	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs	6 55
1067	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights	36 55
1068	Silver, Burdett & Co., text books	39 68
1069	Tracy, Francis, repairs	10 43
1070	The Tuttle Co., supplies	11 50
1071	Vermont School Seat Co., repairs	41 00
1072	Warren-Reed Electric Co., fuel and lights	1 80
1073	White-Smith Music Publishing Co., text books.....	6 11
1074	Pay roll No. 9	\$4,403 35
	Miscellaneous bills	323 77
1075	Alaska Freezer Co., supplies	4 50
1076	Billings & Davis, supplies	1 90
1077	Brehmer, Phil H., repairs	3 00
1098	Bradley, N. M., repairs	4 00
1099	Bradley, Milton Co., supplies	2 50
1078	Cleveland, C. J., sundries	2 00
1079	Creed, J. E., sundries	4 75
1080	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00
1081	Duffy, Hugh, fuel and lights	42 62
1082	Edson, A. B., repairs	6 00
1083	Educational Press Co., text books	2 50
1084	Eitapence, James H., repairs	13 00
1085	Elkey, Henry, sundries	4 00
1086	Goldsmith, A. Florence, sundries	3 80
1087	Goodwin Laundry, sundries	5 49
1088	Healy, Margaret M., sundries	4 95
1089	Hubbard, A. J., repairs	3 75
1090	Knott Apparatus Co., L. E., supplies	1 40
1091	LaParle, Fred, sundries	3 00
1092	Locke, D. B., sundries	10 17
1093	Mairs, Asa R., sundries	4 75
1094	Merriam's, supplies	6 20
1100	Metzger Brothers, repairs	4 75
1097	Murdick-Durkee Co., supplies	11 44
1096	Murray Printing Co., printing and adv.	2 75
1095	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., sundries	6 20
1101	Novak Printing Co., A. J., printing and adv.	1 25
1102	Oread, The, printing and adv.	18 00
1103	Otter Creek Dairy Farm, supplies	1 19
1104	Parker & Ryan, repairs (84c.), sundries (\$1.30).....	2 14
1105	Row, Peterson & Co., text books	7 15
1106	Rutland High School Athletic Association, sundries	8 85

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1107	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs (25c.), supplies (\$12.30).....	12 55
1108	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights....	37 22
1109	Rutland Teachers' Association, sundries	50 00
1110	Sterns, Charles & Co., supplies	4 30
1111	Thomas, Isaac, sundries	4 50
1112	Tuttle Co., The, supplies	7 20
1113	Supplementary pay roll	\$139 75 139 75
1114	Pay roll No. 10A	4,042 63 4,042 63
	Miscellaneous bills	467 68
1115	Ballou, O. C., sundries	3 00
1116	Borden, Thomas, sundries	1 59
1117	Dodge, The Printer, supplies	10 50
1118	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00
1119	Gebhardt, Dr. F. H., sundries	6 25
1120	Hinchey, Francis, sundries	20 00
1121	Landon, W. C. & Co., supplies	26 53
1122	Locke, D. B., sundries	73 18
1123	Morris, W. E., sundries	13 35
1124	Morse, J. J., sundries	6 00
1125	Murray Printing Co., printing and adv.	2 00
1126	Novak Printing Co., supplies	2 00
1127	Otter Creek Dairy Farm, supplies	1 73
1128	Parker & Ryan, repairs (\$2.99), sundries (\$1.00).....	3 99
1129	Parkhurst Store, The, supplies	7 46
1130	Playhouse Amusement Co., sundries	36 00
1131	Porter, M., sundries	2 00
1132	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs	2 34
1133	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights	33 06
1134	Spencer, C. W., sundries	2 00
1135	Stearns, John B., sundries	1 50
1136	Thomas, Isaac, sundries	51 50
1137	Vaughan, W. W., repairs	1 70
1138	Whittier, H. B., sundries	25 00
1139	Hickey, John J., sundries	125 00
1140	Pay roll No. 10B	\$419 49 419 49
	Miscellaneous bills	4,063 35
1141	Bingham, E. C., repairs	1,300 00
1142	Carnell, James, repairs	124 79
1143	Duffy, Hugh, fuel and lights	2,502 57
1144	Goddard Hardware Co., A. W., repairs	1 10
1145	Goodwin Laundry, sundries	1 35
1146	Herald, The, printing and adv.	2 36
1147	Hickey, John J., sundries	5 08
1148	Howe, H. H. & Co., supplies	1 10

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1149	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs	33 75
1150	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., sundries	5 20
1151	Otter Creek Dairy Farm, supplies	3 44
1152	Reed, N. B., repairs	61 46
1153	Rutland Evening News, printing and adv.	2 00
1154	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights....	19 21
1155	Reed, N. B., repairs	119 85
1156	Pay roll No. 11	\$654 41 654 41
	Miscellaneous bills	2,064 01
1157	Begor, Joseph, sundries	5 25
1159	Boston Metal Ceiling & Mfg. Co., repairs	154 35
1160	Chaffee Lumber Co., repairs	184 79
1161	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00
1162	Duffy, Hugh, fuel and lights	638 48
1163	Hayner, Norman C. & Co., supplies	6 00
1164	Holmes Iron Co., repairs	34 30
1165	Keyes, E. D. & Co., supplies	9 00
1166	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs	13 58
1167	McDowell, John, sundries	3 00
1168	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., sundries	5 80
1169	Parker & Ryan, supplies	14 55
1170	Reed, N. B., repairs	43 15
1171	Remington, F. H., repairs	225 79
1172	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights....	4 49
1173	Terrill, Samuel & Son, repairs	4 02
1174	Thomas, George W., repairs	2 56
1175	Thomas, Isaac, sundries	4 90
1176	Murphy, Burt T., repairs	75 00
1177	Murphy, Burt T., repairs	100 00
1178	Reed, Nathaniel B., repairs	167 55
1158	Bingham, E. C., repairs	650 00
1179	Pay roll No. 12	\$712 25 712 25
	Miscellaneous bills	2,454 67
1180	Adams, Harold B., sundries	2 50
1181	Amsden, Harrie A., sundries	3 10
1182	Babb, Edw. E. & Co., supplies	186 36
1183	Bingham, E. C., repairs	300 00
1184	Brown, Mrs. E. H., sundries	35 20
1185	Burlington Venetian Blind Co., supplies	211 49
1186	Chaffee Lumber Co., repairs	15 98
1187	Chalmers, George E., supplies	32 97
1188	Clark, Walter A., insurance	296 13
1189	Densmore, George A., repairs	35 15
1190	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00

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1191	Duffy, Hugh, fuel and lights	94 98
1192	Eitapence, James H., repairs	6 45
1193	Hammett, J. L. & Co., supplies	40 25
1194	Keyes, E. D. & Co., supplies	4 30
1195	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs (\$11.65), supplies (\$105.34)	116 99
1196	Lincoln Iron Works, repairs	4 61
1197	Lloyd, Richard, repairs	13 50
1198	Locke, D. B., sundries	11 85
1199	Meyers, Mrs. Delia, sundries	7 80
1200	Moor, Mary L., sundries	20 60
1201	Morris, W. E., sundries	33 64
1202	Murray Printing Co., printing and adv.	4 85
1203	Murphy, Burt T., repairs	239 60
1204	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., sundries	6 05
1205	Novak Printing Co., A. J., printing and adv.	4 25
1206	Parker & Ryan, repairs (\$4.41), supplies (\$26.00)	30 41
1207	Patch Mfg. Co., F. R., repairs	1 80
1208	Reed, Nathaniel B., repairs	69 75
1209	Remington, F. H., repairs	271 20
1210	Ross-Huntress Co., supplies	5 35
1211	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs	56 79
1212	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights	4 45
1213	Sawyer, H. A. & Co., supplies	94 87
1214	Sheldon Slate Co., F. C., repairs	20 08
1215	Thomas, Isaac, sundries	9 65
1216	Tuttle Co., The, supplies (\$18.00), text books (\$118.72)	136 72
1217	Underwood Typewriter Co., supplies	15 00
1218	Murphy, Burt T., repairs	48 15
1219	Pay roll No. 1	\$4,758 10
	Miscellaneous bills	3,058 94
1220	American Book Co., text books	30 56
1221	Atkinson, Mentzer & Co., supplies	3 12
1222	Babb, Edw. E. & Co., supplies (\$16.50), text books (\$25.52)	42 02
1223	Bradley, Milton Co., supplies	43 00
1224	Chaffee Lumber Co., repairs	37 09
1225	Chalmers, Geo. E., supplies (\$46.10), text books (\$12.22)	58 32
1226	Densmore, George A., repairs	25 50
1227	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00
1228	Duffy, Hugh, fuel and lights	5 00
1229	Dunn Brothers, supplies	2 20
1230	Dutton, E. P. & Co., text books	9 60
1231	Eitapence, James H., repairs	18 75
1232	Ginn & Company, text books	57 71
1233	Goodwin Laundry, sundries	3 06

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1234	Hayward, Fred W., repairs	30 60
1235	Heath, D. C. & Co., text books	9 00
1236	Herald, The (Rutland), printing and adv.	4 00
1237	Holmes Iron Co., repairs	45 06
1238	Holt, Henry & Co., text books	14 17
1239	Hubbard, A. J., repairs	6 00
1240	Kelley, Mrs. M. B., sundries	10 80
1241	Keyes, E. D. & Co., supplies	9 39
1242	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs (\$39.88), supplies (\$68.48)	108 36
1243	Lassor, George E., supplies	1 55
1244	Lincoln Iron Works, repairs	5 41
1245	Lynch, Mrs. W. P., sundries	12 60
1246	McIntosh, D. C., supplies	29 09
1247	Metzger Brothers, supplies	8 00
1248	Morse, J. J., sundries	1 50
1249	Murdick-Durkee Co., supplies	3 81
1250	Myers, Mrs. A., sundries	19 80
1251	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., sundries	6 15
1252	Novak Printing Co., supplies	7 50
1253	Parker & Ryan, repairs (\$3.17), supplies (\$20.98)	24 15
1254	Parkhurst Store, supplies	3 21
1255	Reed, Nathaniel B., repairs	7 80
1256	Remington, F. H., repairs	340 54
1257	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs	49 78
1258	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights	29 14
1259	Sawyer, H. A. & Co., supplies	1 05
1260	Singer Sewing Machine Co., supplies	52 00
1261	Slatington-Bangor Slate Syndicate, repairs	5 22
1262	Spaulding Furniture Exchange, sundries	1 00
1263	Tuttle Company, supplies (\$104.37), text books (\$200.00)	304 37
1264	Underwood Typewriter Co., supplies	100 00
1265	Vaughan, W. W., repairs	1 50
1266	Warren-Reed Electric Co., fuel and lights	5 03
1267	Webster, C. H., repairs	16 25
1268	Woolworth, F. W. & Co., supplies	4 00
1269	McLaughlin, M. H., repairs	1,000 00
1270	Bingham, E. C., repairs	435 18
1271	McLaughlin, M. H., repairs	500 00
1272	Pay roll No. 2	\$4,765 40
	Miscellaneous bills	2,462 10
1273	Allyn & Bacon, text books	18 34
1274	Armstrong & Matteson, supplies	8 55
1275	Atkinson, Mentzer & Co., supplies	5 36
1276	Babb, Edward E. & Co., text books	25 44

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1277	Barnard, F. J. & Co., text books	27 52
1278	Bishop & Jasmin, sundries	1 00
1279	Chaffee Lumber Co., repairs	58 81
1280	Chalmers, George E., text books	146 80
1281	Curtis, Samuel & Son, repairs	30 00
1282	Dodge, The Printer, supplies	9 75
1283	Duffy, F. H., rent	10 00
1284	Dunn Brothers, supplies	1 50
1285	Dyer, C. H., sundries	41 50
1286	Eitapence, James H., repairs	7 70
1287	Emerson College Publishing Department, text books.....	4 30
1288	Gebhardt, Dr. F. H., sundries	19 00
1289	Hascall, G. M., supplies	6 00
1290	Heath, D. C. & Co., text books	13 30
1291	Holmes Iron Co., repairs	39 84
1292	Holt, Henry & Co., text books	2 62
1293	Hostler, Henry J., sundries	1 06
1294	Lanahan, M. G., repairs	8 00
1295	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs (\$25.37), supplies (\$23.40)	48 77
1296	McLaughlin, M. H., repairs	550 00
1297	Loeke, D. B., sundries	15 75
1298	Lyons Brothers, supplies	2 20
1299	Metzger Brothers, repairs	2 40
1300	Morris, W. E., sundries	24 90
1301	Murdick-Durkee Co., supplies	6 34
1302	Novak Printing Co., supplies	3 75
1303	Ginn & Company, text books	7 72
1304	Parker & Ryan, repairs (\$2.13), sundries (\$5.75).....	7 88
1305	Remington, F. H., repairs	474 33
1306	Ross-Huntress Co., repairs	9 68
1307	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs	120 96
1308	Rutland Waste & Metal Co., repairs	5 93
1309	Sanborn, Benj. H. & Co., text books	16 42
1310	Scribner's Sons, Charles, text books	112 55
1311	Spaulding's Furniture Exchange, sundries	1 00
1312	Swyer, C., sundries	1 00
1313	Tuttle Company, supplies (\$7.23), text books (\$340.42)	347 65
1314	Fidelity & Casualty Co., insurance	216 48
1315	Pay roll No. 3	\$4,808 51
	Miscellaneous bills	4,808 51
		2 39
1316	American Book Co., text books	2 39
1318	American Warming & Ventilating Co., repairs	487 90
1319	Amsden, Harrie A., sundries	5 16
1320	Andrews, A. H., supplies	1 30

No.		Amount
1321	Babb, Edward E., & Co., supplies	1 50
1322	Billings & Davis, sundries	2 00
1323	Milton Bradley Co., supplies	11 36
1324	Chaffee Lumber Co., repairs (\$10.10), supplies (\$6.30)	16 40
1325	Cleveland, C. J., sundries	2 00
1326	Connolly, James, repairs	34 36
1327	Curtis, Samuel P. & Son, repairs	2 00
1328	Duffy, F. H., rent	15 49
1329	Eitapence, James H., repairs	93 13
1330	Gebhardt, Dr. F. H., sundries	22 00
1331	Goodwin Laundry, sundries	2 09
1332	Holmes Iron Co., repairs	9 57
1333	Knott Apparatus Co., L. E., supplies	33 99
1334	Landon, W. C. & Co., repairs (\$18.48), supplies (\$5.45)	23 93
1335	Morris, W. E., sundries	9 91
1336	Murdick-Durkee Co., supplies	5 52
1337	Murphy, Burt T., repairs	32 14
1338	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., sundries	10 30
1339	Parker & Ryan, repairs (\$7.95), supplies (\$13.17).....	21 12
1340	Parkhurst Store, supplies	6 17
1341	Remington, F. H., repairs	104 63
1342	Richards-Wilcox, supplies	3 00
1343	Rutland Machine & Auto Co., fuel and lights	2 25
1344	Rutland Mfg. Co., repairs	3 31
1345	Rutland News Co., printing and adv.	3 75
1346	Rutland Railway, Light & Power Co., fuel and lights....	48 21
1347	Sterns, Charles & Co., supplies	11 77
1348	Tuttle Co., printing and adv. (\$10.50), supplies (\$2.77)	13 27
1349	Warren-Reed Electric Co., repairs	51 90
1350	Webster, C. H., repairs	10 00
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CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT, LINCOLN SCHOOL BUILDING.

906	James H. Eitapence, construction	\$183 63
960	Thomas W. Rogers, construction	3,000 00
994	Frank L. Austin, sundries	6 94
995	James H. Eitapence, construction	1,381 48
1039	James H. Eitapence, construction	46 11
1040	Thomas W. Rogers, construction	3,827 13

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No.	Amount
1317 American Warming & Ventilating Co., repairs	\$110 20

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT, 1913.

Lincoln School Building	\$6,444 51
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CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT, 1914.

Lincoln School Building	\$8,445 29
Longfellow School Building	110 20
Total	\$15,000 00

Report of Sinking Fund Commissioners

To the Honorable Council of the City of Rutland:

The following statement shows the condition of the Sinking Fund of the City of Rutland on this day and the transactions for the year 1914.

	Water	General	Total
Balance from last report.....	\$54,395 89	\$168,090 53	\$222,486 42
Received interest.....	2,211 29	6,833 18	9,044 47
Difference between par value of bonds and purchase price.....	486 04	1,501 96	1,988 00
City of Rutland payment to sinking fund.	3,225 00	8,000 00	11,225 00
	<u>\$60,318 22</u>	<u>\$184,425 67</u>	<u>\$244,743 89</u>
Paid accrued interest on bonds bought...	\$71 89	\$222 14	\$294 03
Paid premium on bonds bought.....	92	2 83	3 75
Discount, commission and expense on bonds sold.....	50 20	155 11	205 31
Paid school bonds.....		10,000 00	10,000 00
Balance invested as below.....	60,195 21	174,045 59	234,240 80
	<u>\$60,318 22</u>	<u>\$184,425 67</u>	<u>\$244,743 89</u>

LIST OF SECURITIES

City of Rutland bonds and notes.....	\$136,000 00
City of New York bonds and notes.....	19,500 00
N. Y. C. & M. R. R. (L. S. Col.) bonds.....	26,000 00
Louisville & Nashville R. R. bonds.....	5,000 00
Rutland R. R. bonds.....	11,000 00
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co.....	10,000 00
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. bonds.....	14,000 00
Boston & Albany 5% Impr. bonds.....	4,000 00

Rutland-Canadian R. R. bonds.....	1,000 00
Bennington & Rutland R. R. bonds.....	6,000 00
Cash in bank.....	1,740 80
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	\$234,240 80

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN N. WOODFIN,

HENRY F. FIELD,

NEWMAN K. CHAFFEE,

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

Rutland, Vt., January 25, 1915.

Examined by us this day, found to be correct and approved by us accordingly.

C. TURNER,

JAKE HEYMAN,

GEO. C. COBB,

Auditors
of the City of Rutland, Vt.

Report of the Commissioner of Public Works

To the Honorable City Council:

Gentlemen:—I respectfully submit the annual report of the work done by this department in 1914.

STREETS.

Quite a large sum has been expended in cleaning and repairing the roadways of the city because they were in such poor condition for travel during the early part of the summer season.

For more thorough work we have graveled the roadways on all or a part of each of the following streets: Granger St., Killington Ave., Lincoln Ave., Meadow St., North St., Spellman Terrace, Williams St., South Main St., West St. and Woodstock Ave., a total length of 12,875 feet, or nearly two and one-half miles. The graveling of the three latter streets was done under the direction of the Vermont State road officials with money furnished, one-half by the State and the other half by the City as a special State road fund for road construction and maintenance. The average cost of the gravel was about twenty-three cents per square yard.

We have constructed water bound macadam on Summer Street the whole length, and on Terrill Street from East Street to near Monette's blacksmith shop, a total distance of 1,225 feet.

The roadways constructed with other binders are as follows:

Killington Ave. from Main Street 350 feet easterly; State Street from Grove Street to East Creek, and Terrill Street from Main Street 350 feet easterly, a total distance of 2,924 feet—all of which has been constructed by the penetration

method similar to the Morse Place roadway. On account of the lighter traffic on Morse Place, it is not expected the roads built this year will last as long. However, if properly taken care of they will carry the traffic and be good streets for many years.

State Street is bound with Bermudez Asphalt; Killington Ave., with Tarvia "X," and Terrill street with Bermudez on the end toward Main Street, and Tarvia "X" on the easterly end of the artificially bound section.

The average cost of the asphalt bound work on State Street was only seventy-six cents per square yard, and on the other streets considerably less.

The total length of roadway treated with gravel and crushed stone during the year was nearly three and one-fourth miles, and is shown in detail in the tables which are in the latter part of this report.

As stated in previous reports the cost of maintaining the gravel and macadam streets increases with the growth of the City and its suburbs. The amount of money raised for street purposes is sufficient to keep our streets in a fairly good condition, but is not enough to take care of the streets as they should be and leave very much to expend in permanent paving. Yet practically every business street in Rutland should be permanently paved. In order to do that work a large amount of extra money ought to be raised either by general tax or special assessment or both, each year for a number of years. The usual method adopted in other cities is to assess the abutting property on each side of the street for about one-third the cost of the improvements.

At the present time we have no pavement laid on a permanent foundation, and perhaps it would be as well not to construct very much until some definite policy of raising the necessary funds is established; so that all parties will be treated equitably in the matter of assessment or tax. Before such a permanent foundation is put in, all of the water pipes, drains and sewers under that section of the street should be so constructed that they will be large enough to do the work for

which they are designed for at least fifty years to come. The sewers and drains should also be built straight from one man-hole to another or from basement to drain, so that in case of a plugged pipe it can be remedied without excavating in the street. The main water pipe should be in a tunnel so that it could be repaired or renewed without excavating. The same is also true of the gas main. Sufficient wire conduits should be installed for the telephone, electric and fire alarm wires to provide for future growth of the City. The car track should be constructed in as permanent a manner as possible.

All such work should be done several months before the street foundation is constructed in order to largely eliminate any uneven settlement of the pavement after construction. Such preliminary work would increase the cost of installing the pavement, but would probably prevent the necessity of having to tear a hole or several holes into the permanent roadway each year. For the purpose of comparison I am incorporating the following table in this report. It is a statement of the amount of money spent in Burlington, Glens Falls and Rutland on street and sidewalk work each year from 1897 to 1913, inclusive:

Year	Burlington	Glens Falls, N. Y.	Rutland
1897	\$68,034	\$53,233	\$17,255
1898	77,147	31,606	37,424
1899	50,627	62,004	12,730
1900	45,000	69,289	16,537
1901	53,886	59,141	19,355
1902	47,760	49,860	19,180
1903	46,891	35,747	16,263
1904	42,493	34,487	19,999
1905	47,789	29,257	12,693
1906	52,084	78,248	10,503
1907	32,000	126,615	20,958
1908	39,277	21,373	19,430
1909	45,254	70,218	19,453
1910	49,884	24,567	19,740
1911	64,299	32,367	22,020
1912	51,757	68,586	21,688
1913	65,922	44,263	23,689
Average per year	51,770	52,400	19,348

Burlington has 57 miles of streets, Glens Falls 42 and Rutland 49. And yet people wonder why the streets of Rutland are not just as good as those of Glens Falls or Burlington, because "we spend lots of money on the streets of Rutland."

There are several streets that should be repaired or rebuilt during the coming year.

We recommend the use of gravel or waterbound macadam, whichever is the cheaper to construct, on all our roadways where the traffic is small; asphalt bound macadam on streets where the traffic is a little too heavy for water-bound stone, and a permanent cement foundation and curb and some kind of paving on practically all of the business streets. The city to construct all except the last style of street from the general street tax. Some of our water-bound macadam streets like Church and North Main Streets, which are in fair condition at present, should be treated with some good bituminous binder so that the heavy traffic will not destroy them so rapidly.

AUTO TRUCK.

The truck was in use during the entire season. We delivered on the roadways about 2,000 tons of crushed stone with it, and in addition to that the truck was busy a large part of the time in the work of cleaning and repairing streets. During "Clean-up-week," for instance, we handled about 600 cubic yards of refuse, practically all of which was done with the truck.

CRUSHER.

We have vainly endeavored to find a good quarry for the new crusher in a satisfactory location, and where the cost of installing the crusher and producing the crushed stone would be reasonable. We have three or four localities under consideration and may soon be able to construct the plant ready

for the 1915 work. The stone for this season's work, except a few carloads of the fine, has been taken from the Guerin ledge on West Street. We purchased three carloads of Dustless fine stone of the Rensselaer Stone Co., of Brainard, N. Y., to use for a surfacing on the asphalt-bound roadways.

BRIDGES.

The temporary wooden bridge on Adams Street broke down and we replaced it with a cement concrete structure having a span of 10½ feet and a roadway 16½ feet wide.

The abutments under the Grove Street bridge were falling down. Consequently, we built a cement concrete facing in front of each abutment and, after excavating the brook bed slightly, we put a cement paving under the brook and a cement floor on the abutments. The bridge has a span of 11 feet and the roadway is 40 feet wide including the two walks. We did not have time to finish this bridge on account of the cold weather.

We have laid new floors on the following bridges:

Curtis Ave. bridge, Main Street at Moon Brook, and Baxter Street at Tenney Brook.

The Fire Clay Company were willing to assist us some if we would put a cement floor on the Curtis Ave. bridge. But before that is done the abutments will have to be either faced or rebuilt with concrete. Perhaps it might be best to do that in 1915 if they are willing to assist in the work at that time.

We think it might be a good plan to put a tar concrete roadway floor on some of the bridges over the plank roadways to save replanking them so often; but the best solution of the costly maintenance of the lumber bridge and floor is the cement concrete bridge.

CATCH BASINS.

We have constructed new basins at the following places: two on State street, one on Spellman Terrace and one on South Main Street opposite Chaplin Ave. There are several other places where basins should be put in. The Street Railway Company are to place one on the north side of the spur track which they have laid into the Express house on Strongs Ave.

SIDEWALKS.

It has been the custom in this city to improve any walk where the adjacent property owner paid one-half the cost of the improved walk. With such an understanding in regard to building a cement walk on the west side of Grove Street from Crescent Street to Locust Street we have constructed the walk five feet in width. The end from near Oak Street to Crescent Street was laid in cold weather and may need to be resurfaced in places after the ground is free from frost in the spring. That is the first cement walk built in Rutland outside of the business district in which the City is financially interested. On account of the heaving of the soil in this section by the frost such walks need to be re-enforced some by iron rods or mesh. We have used rods on the Grove Street walk and expect it will stand the frost all right.

The only other new paved walk laid was a short section of tar walk on the east end of Terrill Street.

We have constructed and repaired with gravel the walks on Park Street near Main Street, and the one on Main Street from Park Street southerly, also the Spellman Terrace walks at the west end and short sections on other streets.

SEWERS.

Very few sewers have been built here for several years, consequently 9,650 feet of pipe sewers and 175 feet of 3 ft. 10 in. x 4 ft. rectangular concrete drain in place of the old stone

drain southerly from West Street to the rear of Dunn's store, a total of nearly two miles of new sewers, is a large amount for one year's work.

The greater part of that work has been planned for a number of years, but the need for some short sections was caused by new houses which had to obtain drainage facilities.

To ascertain the length, size, etc, of each drain see the tabulated data on sewers in this report.

There have been eighty connections made to the sewers during the year. A manhole has been built on Killington Ave., at the trunk sewer crossing that street a little west of East Street.

There are a few sections of the city that are yet in need of sewers. The necessity for such sewers is caused largely by the use of the City water, and I see no reason why the water funds should not be utilized to pay for their construction.

The old cobble stone drain under the railroad embankment near Pine Street should be reconstructed during the coming season. We have some sheet steel forms for that work which will save considerable of the expense of construction if found necessary to entirely rebuild that part of the sewer.

RECORD OF IMPROVED STREETS.

	Feet	Miles	Miles
Earth roadway December 31, 1913	159,767	30.25	
Macadamized in 1914	1,175	.22	
Earth roadway December 31, 1914	158,592	30.03	30.03
Macadam roadway December 31, 1913 ...	98,455	18.66	
Earth roadway macadamized in 1914	1,175	.22	
Macadam roadway December 31, 1914	99,630	18.88	18.88
Tar concrete roadway December 31, 1914..	2,238	.42	.42
Total miles exclusive of pent roads			49.33

GRAVEL ROADS CONSTRUCTED IN 1914.

Street	Distance Feet	Width Feet	Cost	Cost per Sq. Yd.
Killington Ave., East to Stratton Road	3,450	13	\$876.30	\$0.173
Williams, Grove to Church St.	500	18	166.55	.166
Lincoln, Melrose to Crescent St.	475	17	168.85	.188
North Street	525	12	159.00	.227
Meadow, West to School St.	800	17	273.00	.18
Granger St., River to Franklin St..	810	17	290.72	.19
Spellman Terrace, Main to East St..	890	16	375.60	.237
*State road	5,425	22	3,551.80	.267
	12,875			

*State paid for one-half.

MACADAM ROADS.

Street	Length Feet	Width Feet	Number tons stone	Cost
State St., Grove to E. Creek	2,224	29	1,709	\$5,471 40
Summer St., State to Maple St.	825	19	40	322 24
Terrill St., Main to East St.	750	20	404	877 29
Killington Ave., Main St. to east of Cath. Church	350	17	120	299 77

CRUSHED STONE.

State Street	1,709 tons
General repairs	373 tons
Killington Ave.	120 tons
Terrill Street	404 tons
Madison Street	30 tons
Kendall Ave.	67 tons
Strongs Ave.	146 tons
Summer Street	40 tons
Sidewalks	157 tons
Stone on hand	200 tons
	3,246 tons

CONCRETE WALKS RESURFACED 1914

Street	Distance Feet
Merchants Row, front R. R. L. & P. Co. Waiting Room	20
Center Street in front Dr. Hanrahan's office	60
Center Street, north side, Badlam's store to Clauson's store	202
Cottage Street at West Street	11
Center Street in front Fire Station No. 2	42
Grove Street at West Street around Verder block	56
West Street at Grove Street around Verder block	85
West Street, south side, east of Wales Street	343
Cottage Street, west side	356
	1,175
Terrill Street (new work)	114
Total	1,289

SEWERS CONSTRUCTED 1914.

Street	Des- cription	Length Feet	Labor	Material
Bellevue Avenue	6"	180	\$29 00	\$21 60
Davis Street	8"	112	53 20	1 65
Edgerton Street	8"	676	291 92	109 93
Fairview Avenue	8"	300	90 44	48 00
Geno Avenue	8"	353	69 50	58 87
Holly Street	8"	565	163 80	94 66
Lafayette Street	8"	1,222	414 16	263 35
Lincoln Boulevard	8"	56	8 00	10 21
Olmstead Place	8"	212	77 02	31 84
Pearl Street	8"	1,080	350 79	173 22
Phillips Avenue	8"	66	35 50	30 82
*Trunk sewer rear Opera House....	Cement	175	1,551 50	599 56
†Tremont Street	8"	432	152 66	86 68
Williams Street	6"	132	45 22	25 96
Water Street	8"	427	44 25	71 02
Woodstock Avenue.....	6"	200	1,276 02	1,314 43
Woodstock Avenue	8"	399		
Woodstock Avenue (southerly of)..	10"	698		
Woodstock Avenue (southerly of)..	12"	2,541		
		9,826	\$4,652 98	\$2,941 80

*To replace cobble stone drain.

†Paid by H. D. Whitney.

RECORD OF SEWERS CONSTRUCTED IN 1914.

	Feet	Feet
Total length of sewers December 31, 1913	185,559	
Constructed in 1914	9,826	
		195,385
Deduct for old drain removed		175
		195,210
Total length of sewers December 31, 1914.....		

ACCOUNT OF LABOR AND MATERIAL USED IN THE STREET DEPARTMENT.

Amount paid as per Street Account	\$23,595 96	
Amount paid as per Sewer Account	9,579 10	
Amount paid as per Sidewalk Account	3,039 13	
Amount paid on State Highway Account	3,551 80	
		\$39,765 99
Amount expended in labor on parks, bridges, etc., and paid from General Account		2,561 77
Total Amount as per Street Account, etc.		\$42,327 76

Expended as follows:

	Cost of Labor	Cost of Material	Total
City truck	\$454 17	\$996 19	\$1,450 36
General repairs	6,728 95	2,441 27	9,170 22
Removing snow	180 00		180 00
Cleaning streets	594 59		594 59
Spreading oil on streets	131 31		131 31
Cleaning streets for oil	204 56		204 56
Road machine	570 81		570 81
Killington Ave., gravel	669 20	207 10	876 30
Killington Ave., macadam	106 39	193 38	299 77
Williams Street, gravel	137 75	28 80	166 55
Madison Street, repairs	73 00	5 81	78 81
Lincoln Avenue, gravel	159 25	9 60	168 85
North Street, gravel	144 00	15 00	159 00
Granger Street, gravel	262 72	28 00	290 72
Meadow Street, gravel	242 00	31 00	273 00
Spellman Terrace, gravel	339 60	36 00	375 60
Strongs Ave., repairs	302 09	94 93	397 02

Summer Street, repairs	298 48	23 76	322 24
State Street, repairs	3,325 14	2,146 26	5,471 40
Kendall Ave., repairs	109 79	13 08	122 87
Terrill Street, repairs	605 75	271 54	877 29
Edgerton Street, repairs	11 50	10 00	21 50
South Main St. (State road).....	1,765 86	172 20	1,938 06
West Street, (State road)	392 59	696 00	1,088 59
Woodstock Ave. (State road).....	472 75	52 40	525 15
Stone at crusher	179 00	59 19	238 19
Asphalt and binder on hand		380 00	380 00
Catch basins on hand		775 00	775 00
Sewer repairs	1,423 95	560 37	1,984 32
Sewer extension	4,652 98	2,941 80	7,594 78
Improving sidewalks	1,024 07	383 24	1,407 31
Walks by A. L. Adams		478 17	478 17
Grove Street sidewalk	580 11	573 54	1,153 65
	\$26,142 36	\$13,623 63	\$39,765 99
Expended from General Account on parks, bridges, etc.			2,561 77
Total			\$42,327 76

WATER SYSTEM.

We have constructed some short extensions of the water mains and placed a few new hydrants, one of which is a four-way at the east of the east railroad crossing on West Street. All extensions, etc., are shown in detail by the tabulated sections of this report.

The material is on hand for laying a 10-in. main through the Lincoln Iron Works driveway from West Street to Baxter Street and placing a large hydrant on the latter street in order to improve the fire protection around State Street and the southerly ends of Baxter Street and Cleveland Avenue.

There are several places in the city where more hydrants are needed. We recommend that the Commissioners of Safety and Public Works, after consulting with the Chief of the Fire Department and Superintendent of Water Works, make a list of the places where new hydrants and larger mains should be located, and submit said list to the City Council for their consideration.

As a few of the hydrants are on rather small mains for good fire service, especially with more than one line of hose and possibly a small nozzle on that hose, it would be a good plan for the fire department to thoroughly test each hydrant by means of actual experiment with a pressure guage and different numbers of lines of hose and the sizes of nozzles as used in the department to ascertain about the amount of water and at what pressure each hydrant is capable of furnishing. The data collected by such tests should be kept by the firemen in order that they may know where to go for the nearest and best hydrant service at time of a fire and what they can expect from each hydrant. Such an inspection would also determine what, if any, mains or hydrants need to be improved. Then if they would report to the Water Department any place which did not furnish good protection the trouble might be located and remedied before a fire occurred in that locality.

METERS.

The use of meters has reduced the waste of water to such an extent that we are not troubled so much as formerly with shortage of water in dry seasons. It would be a good plan to purchase or rent the necessary implements for measuring the flow of water in the mains and locate and stop all the appreciable leaks in the system. At the same time that such inspection is made all of the valves could be inspected and repaired or renewed wherever necessary.

EXTENSION OF MAINS, 1914

	Size	Length Feet	Cost of Labor	Cost of Material
*Pine Street, south of Maple	4 "	74		
Spruce St., southerly of No. 119.....	4 "	57	\$13 39	\$12 84
Vernon St., west of Pearl	6 "	362	134 89	186 30
Nichols St., south of Burnham	6 "	240	83 79	138 72
Lafayette St. to Mrs. Parker's.....	¾"	425	23 26	16 90
Olmstead Place	1½"	168		
Olmstead Place	1 "	42	40 43	29 71
			1,367	\$295 76
				\$384 47

*To replace old 3".

VALVES SET ON MAINS.

Street	Size	Number
Nichols and Burnham	6 "	1
Nichols and Williams	6 "	1
Vernon and Pearl	6 "	1
Spellman Terrace and Olmstead Place	1½"	1
Cleveland and Park	6 "	1
West Street, east of Crossing	12 "	2
West Street, east of Crossing	10 "	1
West Street, east of Crossing	6 "	1
Lincoln Boulevard and Field Ave.	6 "	1
Total		10

VALVES SET ON HYDRANT BRANCHES.

Street	Size	Number
Engrem Ave., opposite No. 13	4"	1
Madison and Prospect Streets	6"	1
Grove and Library	6"	1
Cleveland and Park	6"	1
Cleveland and Crescent	6"	1
West Street, east of crossing	10"	1
Lincoln and Field	6"	1
Total		7

NEW HYDRANTS.

Street.
 Cleveland at Park Avenue.
 Cleveland at Crescent Street
 West Street, east of crossing, 4-way.
 Lincoln at Field Avenue.

HYDRANTS SET IN PLACE OF BROKEN ONES.

Street.
 Engrem Ave., opposite No. 13.
 State Street at Baxter Street.
 Madison Street at Prospect Street
 Grove Street at Library Avenue.

VALVES SET IN PLACE OF BROKEN ONES.

Street	Size	Number
Pine Street at Maple	4"	1
State Street at Pine	3"	1
State Street at Summer	3"	1
Total		3

METERS SET TO DATE.

Size	Number
5/8-inch	116
3/4-inch	104
1-inch	42
1 1/2-inch	8
2-inch	14
3-inch	5
4-inch	2

RECORD.

Total valves previous to January 1, 1915	623
Total taps previous to January 1, 1915	3,022
Total hydrants previous to January 1, 1915	179

ACCOUNT OF LABOR AND MATERIAL IN WATER DEPARTMENT.

	Cost Labor	Cost Material	Total
Repairing broken hydrants	\$30 82	\$63 75	\$94 57
New hydrants set	132 02	587 72	719 74
Inspecting hydrants	201 92	14 82	216 74
Repair leaks in mains	125 70	42 03	167 73
Extending mains	295 76	384 47	680 23
Meters set and repaired	271 52	785 98	1,057 50
Repairing and relaying (73) services	624 51	347 39	971 90
Laying (76) new connections	647 38	519 99	1,167 37
Care of reservoir, streams, etc....	695 50	17 68	713 18
Bleach plant	53 00	337 36	390 36
Replacing and repairing valves....	9 20	28 54	37 74
Eddy wash stand	60 59	5 21	65 80
Thawing services	14 61	137 07	151 68
Changing pipe Grove Street	22 11	29 86	51 97
Miscellaneous	2,096 51	1,454 52	3,551 03
Treasurer's assistant		770 00	770 00
Interest and sinking fund.....		8,955 00	8,955 00
Water rights		2,798 85	2,798 85
Farm lands, Mendon		6,650 00	6,650 00
Testing water, etc.		100 58	100 58
Inspection		40 00	40 00
Appropriation changing Mendon road		1,000 00	1,000 00
Meters purchased and on hand....		642 60	642 60
10" pipe, valves and hydrant on hand		634 59	634 59
	\$5,281 15	\$26,348 01	\$31,629 16

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

This department has been busy on street and sewer lines and grades, etc., of which the record figures and tables will be found in the reports of the other Departments.

In closing I wish to thank the employes of the various departments for their faithfulness and efficiency. Much credit is especially due the Superintendent of Streets and the other foremen for their valuable assistance and recommendations.

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. GROVER,
 Commissioner of Public Works.

Report of the Commissioner of Public Safety

To the Honorable City Council:

I respectfully submit the annual report of the Fire and Police Departments.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Our fire loss for the past year, a list of which is appended, is \$36,017.98. This amount, though larger than the fire loss of 1913, is very favorable considering the amount of property involved. The Park Street school building, the Dunn block, and the Keyes block were the heavy fire losses. The Howe Scale Company loss is not included as they carried their own insurance and they estimated the loss at their plant at \$40,000. At the fires mentioned and several smaller fires where a large amount of adjoining property was in danger the fire loss might have been much greater were it not for the very efficient work of the Fire Department.

The need of an automobile combination chemical and hose wagon is more apparent each year the city delays the purchase of one. The advantage to the Fire Department of the purchase of such an apparatus has been set forth in the Commissioners' reports of several years past. I mention a few that have been given. Many times both fire teams answer alarms that are a considerable distance from the central part of the city and the run to such points could be made much quicker by the automobile truck. And, in event of another alarm being sounded from the central part of the city in a short time after the one mentioned, the automobile truck would return in answer to this second alarm at even a greater saving of time as compared with the horse-drawn wagon than in answer to the first alarm. The difference in time might

RECORD OF FIRES AND ALARMS, CAUSES, LOSS AND INSURANCE FOR YEAR 1914

Date 1914	Site of Alarm	Time	Location	Building	Owner	Property	Estimated Value		Estimated Property Loss		Reported Insurance Involved		Reported Insurance Paid		Cause	Extin. with
							Building	Personal	Buildings	Personal	Buildings	Personal	Buildings	Personal		
January 1	Still	4:28 p. m.	Evelyn St.	Brick	Landon & Spaulding	Block									Chimney	Needless alarm
January 2	Still	6:18 p. m.	7 Pine St.	Wood	C. A. Metzger	Tenement									Overheated Chim.	Needless alarm
January 3	Still	12:29 a. m.	Merchants Row.	Brick	Herald & Globe Association	Block	\$22,000 00		12 32		\$10,000 00		\$12 32		3 Extn.	2 Extn.
January 13	Still	2:14 p. m.	37 East St.	Wood	J. E. Creed	Tenement									Chimney	Water
January 14	Box 31	3:05 a. m.	44 Allen St.	Wood	M. Toomey	Dwelling	1,500 00	\$1,000 00	1,200 00	\$650 00	1,200 00	\$1,000 00	1,200 00	\$650 00	Unknown	Pail Water
January 14	Still	9:30 a. m.	33 Cottage St.	Brick	F. M. Wilson	Boarding House									Plumbers Torch	Water
January 14	Box 31	9:55 a. m.	Park St.	Brick	City of Rutland	Public School	20,000 00	2,000 00	2,200 00	840 47	6,600 00	1,400 00	2,200 00	840 47	Overheated Flue	Water
January 18	Box 14	1:49 a. m.	74 Grove St.	Wood	Mrs. Julia Clifford	Stable	2,500 00	2,000 00	942 95	1,400 00	2,500 00	2,000 00	942 95	1,400 00	Unknown	Water
January 18	Box 47	6:20 p. m.	14 Merchants Row.	Brick	J. C. F. C. & W. H. Dunn	Block	26,000 00	20,000 00	5,236 00	5,248 27	20,000 00	17,900 00	5,236 00	5,248 27	Unknown	Water
January 24	Still	11:41 p. m.	Cor. Grove and West St.	Wood	Verder Est.	Block									Unknown	Pail water
January 25	Still	6:17 p. m.	31 Terrill St.	Wood	Rosanna Laporte	Dwelling									Chimney	2 Extn.
February 9	Still	9:17 a. m.	51 Park St.	Wood	Hannah Hinchey	Dwelling									Chimney	Not needed
February 12	Box 13	8:39 a. m.	71 Wood Ave.	Wood	Mrs. M. A. Wood	Tenement									Stove explosion	Not needed
February 12	Still	1:23 p. m.	10 Elm St.	Wood	John Spaulding	Tenement									Chimney	Not needed
February 12	Still	10:8 p. m.	Grove St.	Brick	Cahee House Fur. Co.	Block									Escaping steam	Needless alarm
February 12	Still	6:24 p. m.	Stratton Road.	Brick	F. Chaffee Sons	Dwelling									Chimney fire	3 Extn.
February 16	Box 73	4:25 a. m.	299 West St.	Wood	Mrs. C. Mangan	Dwelling	1,000 00	1,200 00	1,300 00	800 00	1,300 00	1,000 00	1,300 00	800 00	Unknown	Water
February 22	Still	11:49 p. m.	27 Court St.	Wood	W. S. Tuttle	Dwelling	3,500 00	2,000 00	69 00	15 85	3,500 00	1,500 00	69 00	15 85	Overheated due	3 Extn.
February 14	Still	3:18 p. m.	35 Forest St.	Wood	Mary G. Lanahan	Store and Tenement	3,000 00	2,500 00	500 00	952 98	4,000 00	2,000 00	500 00	952 98	Unknown	Water
March 20	Still	11:24 a. m.	123 River St.	Wood	Mrs. C. Reardon	Tenement									Chimney	1 Extn.
March 26	Still	8:30 a. m.	Merchants Row.	Brick	Herald & Globe Association	Offices and Printing									Hot Lead Furnace	Hose on stand pipe
March 27	Still	5:30 p. m.	Railroad Yard.	Wood	Rutland Railroad	Csboose									Sparks	1 Extn.
April 3	Box 47	8:42 p. m.	Evelyn St.	Brick	E. D. Keyes & Co.	Wholesale Grocery									Unknown	Water
April 4	Box 47	12:45 a. m.	Evelyn St.	Brick	E. D. Keyes & Co.	Wholesale Grocery	30,000 00	35,000 00	1,384 89	5,500 00	20,000 00	32,000 00	1,384 89	5,500 00	From first fire	Whipped out
April 10	Still	1:35 p. m.	Park and Granger St												Grass fire	2 Extn.
April 12	Still	10:40 a. m.	135 State St.	Wood	H. F. Noyes Est.	Tenement									Chimney	Needless alarm
April 12	Box 74	7:17 p. m.	17 Watkins Ave.	Wood	Mary E. Z. Mylott	Dwelling									Chimney	Whipped out
April 14	Box 17	3 p. m.	127 Robbins St.	Wood	C. A. Carrigan	Tenement	3,000 00	2,000 00	325 00	55 00	2,500 00	900 00	325 00	55 00	Hot ashes	2 Extn. water
April 14	Still	1:57 p. m.	So. Main St.		E. R. Morse										Grass fire	Whipped out
April 23	Still	1:16 p. m.	Pine Hill.												Brush fire	Whipped out
April 25	Box 33	12:33 p. m.	Curtis Ave.												Grass fire	Whipped out
April 26	Still	3:12 p. m.	33 Terrill St.	Wood	Rosanna Laporte	Dwelling									Chimney	2 Extn.
May 2	Still	5:5 p. m.	78 Allen St.	Wood	J. C. Shortleeves	Dwelling									Chimney	2 Extn.
May 3	Still	11:55 a. m.	No. Baxter St.												Grass fire	Whipped out
May 11	Still	12:17 p. m.	Edson St.		Kinsman & Tuttle										Rubbish	1 Extn.
May 12	Still	8:45 a. m.	Merchants Row.	Brick	J. E. Buxton	Stores and Offices	25,000 00	18,000 00	30 50	90 00	10,000 00	15,000 00	30 50	90 00	Gas stove	Pails water
May 13	Box 61	9:12 p. m.	44 Forest St.	Wood	C. H. Grandy	Store and Tenement									Imaginary fire	Needless alarm
May 14	Box 33	7:38 p. m.	Curtis Ave.	Wood	Rutland Fire Clay Co.	Stable	1,000 00		349 00		800 00		349 00		Unknown	1 Extn. water
May 20	Still	6:5 p. m.	So. Main St.		Rutland Co. Agri. So.	City Dump									Burning rubbish	Water
May 22	Still	12:55 p. m.	No. Grove St.		Joseph Gagnon	Load Hay									Friction	2 Extn.
May 23	Still	10:20 a. m.	25 Marble Ave.	Wood	E. M. Harrison	Dwelling									Chimney	Needless alarm
May 26	Still	1:7 p. m.	Evelyn St.	Brick	E. D. Keyes & Co.	Wholesale Grocery	15,000 00	25,000 00	100 00	2,500 00	9,000 00	20,000 00	100 00	2,500 00	Overheated roaster	2 Extn.
May 31	Still	3:52 p. m.	12 Church St.	Wood	H. A. and Bertha Colburn	Tenement									Rubbish in shed	Pails water
June 11	Still	12:7 p. m.	38 Center St.	Brick	P. F. Howley	Store									Joke alarm	
June 17	Box 16	11:38 p. m.	Maple St.												False alarm	
June 22	Still	3:15 p. m.	Railroad Yard.	Wood	Rutland Railroad	Box Car									Sparks from engine	1 Extn.
June 25	Still	4 p. m.	River St.	Wood	City of Rutland	Bridge									Sparks from engine	2 Extn.
June 26	Box 35	12:14 p. m.	East of Lafayette St.	Wood	W. W. Nichols	Hay Storage	300 00		300 00		300 00		300 00		Unknown	Whipped out
June 26	Still	10:30 a. m.	Washington and Lafayette St.												Grass fire	Water
July 7	Box 63	3:35 a. m.	Cor. River and Granger St.	Wood	Charlie Chioffi	Dwelling	1,000 00		50 42		600 00		50 42		Unknown	Not needed
August 3	Still	4:49 p. m.	Pleasant St.	Wood	Mrs. Chas. Stearns	Stable									Gasolene and auto.	2 Extn.
August 10	Box 45	5:15 p. m.	71 Center St.	Wood	Crain and Valiquette	Shop and Salesroom									Gasolene	Needless alarm
August 23	Box 43	10:30 a. m.	61 West St.	Wood and Brick	Mary J. French	Hotel and Shoeshop									Papers in stove	1 Extn.
August 25	Still	9:10 a. m.	26 Church St.	Wood	Mrs. E. L. Root	Automobile									Gasolene and auto.	Needless alarm
August 31	Box 31	2:06 p. m.	Park St.	Brick	City of Rutland	Public School									Fresh fire	Not needed
September 10	Box 45	11:40 a. m.	Rear M. C. Laundry		F. M. Butler										Rubbish	1 Extn.
September 21	Still	10:50 a. m.	Dorr Road.	Wood	Vermont Marble Co.	Tenement	800 00		15 00		400 00		15 00		Chimney	False alarm
September 22	Box 27	12:31 a. m.	Cor. Main and Kendall Ave.												Lace curtain fire	Pail water
September 23	Still	6:57 p. m.	108 No. Main St.	Wood	Mrs. Addie Stickney	Dwelling		1,200 00		15 00		1,500 00		15 00	Overheated chimney	2 Extn. pails water
September 27	Box 17	8:35 p. m.	142 Library Ave.	Wood	H. F. Noyes Est.	Tenement	1,500 00		80 00		1,000 00		80 00		Rubbish in shed	Pails water
October 1	Still	7:42 p. m.	138 State St.	Wood	Mary A. Holmes	Tenement									False alarm	
October 7	Box 26	8:14 p. m.	Main and Woodstock Ave.												Gasolene and auto.	Not needed
October 8	Box 65	5:29 p. m.	98 Gibson Ave.	Wood	Mrs. B. F. Jones	Stable and Garage									False alarm	
October 15	Box 16	8:08 p. m.	Maple St.												False alarm	
November 10	Still	12:10 p. m.	44 No. Main St.	Wood	Mrs. Blanche Quinn	Dwelling	2,000 00	500 00	1,600 00	300 00	1,600 00	300 00	1,600 00	300 00	Sparks from fireplace	1 Extn. pails water
November 24	Still	4:32 a. m.	57 Field Ave.	Wood	W. F. Wands	Dwelling									Chimney	Water
November 25	Still	6:15 a. m.	14 and 16 Merchants Row	Brick	Dunn Est.	Stores and Offices									Cigarette	Pails water
November 27	Box 43	6:50 a. m.	West and Grove St.	Wood	Geo. H. Verder Est.	Stores and Offices	4,000 00	8,000 00	330 00	824 33	2,000 00	7,600 00	330 00	824 33	Unknown	1 Extn. water
December 9	Still	10 a. m.	Center and Merchants Row		Dr. Wm. Stickney	Automobile									Cigarette	2 Extn.
December 10	Box 36	3:04 a. m.	Strong's Ave.	Wood	Howe Scale Co.	Foundry			No Insurance	carried on this building					Unknown	Water
December 12	Box 14	1:37 a. m.	Church and Williams St.												False alarm	
December 17	Still	7:40 p. m.	274 West St.	Wood	G. Marro	Tenement									Chimney	Garden hose
December 20	Box 15	3:02 a. m.	139 Baxter St.	Wood	Mrs. Matilda Gload	Dwelling	1,800 00	500 00	235 00	41 00	1,500 00	200 00	235 00	41 00	Hot ashes	Water
December 26	Box 61	1:40 a. m.	151 South St.	Wood	Delia F. Bora	Store	250 00	250 00	200 00	200 00	200 00					

mean the saving in property loss of several thousand dollars. I respectfully recommend that the purchase of the automobile combination chemical and hose wagon be completed at the earliest possible time.

The fire alarm system has worked much more satisfactorily during the past year than in former years. The small amount expended in repairs on this system in the fall of 1913 has corrected the trouble experienced for several years past.

New hydrants have been installed as follows:

One 4-way hydrant near West St. railroad crossing.
One 2-way hydrant corner of Lincoln Ave., and Field Ave.
One 2-way hydrant corner of Cleveland Ave. and Park Ave.

One 2-way hydrant north end of Cleveland Ave.

New fire alarm boxes installed as follows:

One private fire alarm 48 at the Playhouse.

A new fire alarm box has been purchased for the corner of Lincoln Ave. and Vernon Street.

The fire alarm batteries at Station No. 1, which are guaranteed for five years, have been in use for nearly six years. They should be renewed at once, but at the latest, this coming spring. Great difficulty is experienced in keeping them up and much more current is required to do so. I respectfully recommend the renewal of these batteries.

During the year the Department responded to 76 alarms, made up as follows: 25 bell alarms, 46 still alarms, 5 false alarms.

The expense of the Fire Department for the year 1914 is as follows:

Pay roll	\$9,364 95
Lights and power	251 21
Telephone	11 00
Feed	528 05
New horse	175 00

Insurance	299 73
Ground rent, Station No. 2	18 00
Supplies	746 46
Laundry	52 91
Repairs	446 11
Coal	324 10
Commissioner's salary	100 00
Shoeing horses	67 20
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	\$12,384 72

The inventory of this Department and property on hand shows a total value of \$21,834.82.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The personnel of the Department consists of 1 chief, 5 regular policemen, and 43 special policemen.

This is one more regular policeman than in former years, but, as a special had been used the greater portion of the time, the expense to the city is about the same. The number of policemen is still very small for a city of this size, and I respectfully recommend the addition of one regular policeman each year until the police force of Rutland compares favorably in numbers with other cities of the same size.

This Department has rendered the City very efficient service during the year. There has been no special disturbance nor serious crime committed.

There has been considerable stolen property recovered and returned to the owners. The practice of entering manufacturing plants and other places and stealing property that is sometimes valuable to the owners, the thief usually disposing of same at a small part of its real value, has been stopped by the arrest and proper punishment of the offenders. The parties who bought the stolen property have also been arrested and punished.

Twenty-eight doors have been found unlocked in the business district and have been reported to the proprietors and in some cases this undoubtedly prevented burglaries from being committed.

The number of arrests during the year totals 515.

Offenses for which arrests were made:

Intoxication, first offense	248
Intoxication, second offense	54
Intoxication, third offense	84
Breach of peace	43
Non-support	6
Escape from penal institution	1
Petit larceny	19
Grand larceny	6
Forgery	3
Offense against automobile laws	10
Tramping	11
Statutory offense	7
Furnishing liquor illegally	4
Child abandonment	1
Violation of quarantine	2
Bigamy	1
Burglary	7
Wife beating	1
Assault	2
Buying stolen goods	4
Gambling	1

Total 515

The detention cells that have been added to this Department for the use of women and boys were greatly needed and afford a clean and comfortable place in which such offenders can be detained. The police signal and telephone system is of much service to this Department. The telephone and signal

light that were formerly at the corner of Willow and Edson Streets have been moved to the corner of Merchants Row and West Street, as it was little used in its former location and is of much more service as it is now arranged.

The expenses of this Department for the year 1914 are as follows:

Pay roll	\$4,956 05
Supplies	119 03
Commissioner's salary	100 00
Repairs	28 70
Telephone and signal service	213 77
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	\$5,417 55

The inventory of this Department is on file with the City Treasurer and totals \$600.14.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK TRACY,
Commissioner of Public Safety.

Report of the City Attorney

To the Honorable City Council:

The following is the report of the City Attorney's business for the year last past:

The case of Ellen Rooney's Estate vs. Percival W. Clement, acting for the City, has been heard by the Special Master, Walter P. Dutton, report recently filed and the case now awaits a hearing thereon.

Case of City of Rutland vs. Green Mountain Marble Company, has been partially settled and will probably be fully adjusted, without the expense of further litigation, before the close of the coming term of court.

Negotiations are also pending for the settlement of the suit of City vs. Samuel Geno; otherwise the matter will be disposed of in some way at the coming term.

The case of Avery vs. City of Rutland will probably be disposed of at the same term.

The case of Graul vs. City of Rutland and Jesse Young, Chief of Police, is one in which the orator, Graul, secured an injunction against the City and Mr. Young, prohibiting their interference in the construction of bill boards in different parts of the city. The case is to be heard upon the bill and answer now filed in court and is one in which the Business Men's Association join with the city in defense, Mr. B. L. Stafford appearing for the Business Men's Association.

The case of the American Paper Clay Company vs. the City was brought to restrain the City from turning the Brewer Brook, so-called, into the City water supply and for damages accruing to the orator by reason of having turned the stream. The court refused to grant an injunction upon the representa-

tion of your attorney that the stream referred to would be returned to its own channel, and the question of damages is yet to be determined. In the opinion of your attorney the amount is very little, if any.

I desire to say that the same situation obtains with relation to the matter of insane persons as of last year, viz: several petitions have been brought and the patients, otherwise chargeable to the City, have been committed as state charges by the Probate Court, and I know of no benefit which could result in publishing the names of these unfortunate people.

Your City Attorney has been called upon many times in consultation and for advice by various committees and individual officers of the City, and has, in addition, submitted many written opinions upon requests therefor, has acted with and upon various committees in relation to City affairs; assisted in connection with purchase of lands for the increase, maintenance and protection of the City water supply, and was also a member of the committee which negotiated the present contract under which the City is lighted.

Respectfully submitted,

P. M. MELDON,

City Attorney.

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 18, 1915.

Report of Overseer of Poor

To the Honorable City Council:

I respectfully submit the report of the Overseer of the Poor for the year ending Dec. 31, 1914.

DISBURSEMENTS

Poor not at City Farm		\$1,587 96
City Farm		719 60
Overseer's salary		750 00
Labor at City Farm		179 90
Coal		183 53
Lights		49 64
Plumbing		62 78
Repairs		68 42
Stock		256 04
Farm supplies		43 04
Ice		6 76
Physicians		387 00
Medicines		10 85
Nurses		27 76
Ambulance service		26 25
Insane poor, Brattleboro Retreat		150 42
Burials		140 70
Transportation		37 06
Mileage		10 00
Stationery		12 95
Police		14 50
Trucking		12 50
Telephone service		5 75
Sundries		4 49
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Received from Chas. Ladabouche	\$14 50	\$4,747 90
Received for farm produce	306 63	
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Paid to City Treasurer		321 13
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Net expense		\$4,426 77

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MONTHLY STATEMENT.

	Poor in City	Poor at Farm	Salaries	Labor	Sundries	Lights
Jan. ...	\$212 14	\$59 48	\$62 50	\$6 00	\$50 05	\$7 56
Feb. ...	135 71	53 23	62 50	4 00	127 58	9 08
Mar. ...	186 09	51 26	62 50	6 50	110 45	5 45
Apr. ...	67 73	60 65	62 50	11 00	77 42	3 15
May ...	60 34	26 59	62 50	7 50	122 58	1 52
June ...	95 87	120 45	62 50	31 60	59 13	2 15
July ...	37 64	42 29	62 50	5 55	91 28	2 26
Aug. ...	119 10	76 78	62 50	74 00	66 62	1 52
Sept. ...	52 93	57 47	62 50	4 00	226 63	192 48
Oct. ...	147 21	56 93	62 50	15 50	98 24	3 00
Nov. ...	218 53	75 42	62 50	4 25	132 20	5 00
Dec. ...	254 67	39 05	62 50		125 09	
	\$1,587 96	\$719 60	\$750 00	\$169 90	\$1,287 27	\$233 17

The following claims were reported due the City of Rutland January 1, 1903.

From town of Castleton for Mrs. Munroe	\$3 00
From town of Castleton for Chauncey Higgins	33 25
From town of Castleton for Mrs. T. Sherman	9 00
From town of Castleton for Mrs. Rena Clark	304 31
From town of Mendon for Stephen Reynolds	541 00
From town of St. Albans for Pascal Downs	15 75
	\$906 31

DEATHS AT CITY FARM, 1914

Name	Nationality	Burial Expenses
Mrs. Horace Bateman.....	American.....	Paid by her estate
James Gavin.....	Irish.....	Paid by relatives
Charles Gould.....	American.....	Paid by city
Mrs. Mary Merritt.....	American.....	Paid by city
Anna Northup.....	American.....	Paid by city
Edmund Race.....	American.....	Paid by city

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OTHER DEATHS, 1914

Name	Nationality	Burial Expenses
L. Austin's child.....	American.....	Paid by city
John Winters.....	Irish.....	Paid by city

COMMITTED TO BRATTLEBORO RETREAT

Name	Nationality	Date Committed
William Donahue.....	Irish.....	December 4, 1914
J. W. Frissell.....	Polander.....	March 5, 1914
Charles Hayman.....	American.....	December 31, 1914

ADMITTED TO CITY FARM IN 1914

Name	Nationality	Age	
Frank Burr.....	American.....	58	Not discharged
Angelina Dumas.....	Canadian.....	72	Not discharged
James Gavin.....	Irish.....	48	Deceased
Henry Gokey.....	Canadian.....	19	Discharged
Charles McCarty.....	Irish.....	35	Discharged
Grace Sawtell.....	American.....	9	Discharged in care of relatives
Marion Sawtell.....	American.....	6	Discharged in care of relatives
John Sinicos.....		18	Not discharged
Idella Tucker.....	American.....	22	Not discharged

INMATES OF CITY FARM, DECEMBER 31, 1914

Name	Nationality	Age
Elmer Bond	American	38
Frank Burr	American	58
Mrs. Anna Collins	Irish	61
Frank Dansereau	Canadian	47
Angelina Dumas	Canadian	70
Mary Phillips	American	22
Fanny Rollins	American	4
Julius St. Lawrence	Canadian	72
Idella Tucker	American	22
Carrie Yando	Canadian	53

PERSONS HELPED BY CITY WITH ORDERS.

Henry Atwood	\$34 00
Julia Austin	3 50
Mrs. Julia Baker	6 00
Mrs. Blanchard	4 58
Mr. Blossom	1 50
Mrs. Cannell	4 63
Mrs. Cassey	5 50
Louis Chapman	16 00
D. Cillo	1 84
C. Cocklin	7 00
Mr. Crapo	12 67
Norman Davis	4 10
George Dean	30 00
Angelina Denetuiet	10 00
William Dikeman	18 75
Mary Donovan	11 00
Martha Ellis	78 00
Mrs. Fredette	7 75
G. Flanders	5 00
George Henry	12 00
Joseph Guertin	14 00
John Heath	9 12
Mrs. T. Higgins	64 00
John Howard	8 75
P. Hurley	8 00
Henry Imhoff	4 00
Mrs. H. Imhoff	6 00

J. Jalkeska	28 00
Cleo Johnson	38 50
George Lamondin	16 00
Mrs. Labombarde	2 99
Mrs. LaMountain	2 99
T. Langelo	4 80
J. LaRock	20 00
Angelo LaVecchia	19 00
Ernest Moss	13 00
Mrs. Moss	4 00
Filomena Murotta	16 00
Mr. McCauley	24 00
Mr. McGowan	7 25
William Niles	15 00
Mrs. William Nutting	3 50
Henry Peters	75 00
William Pitts	8 75
George Platt	21 00
Ed. Potter	8 00
H. Preston	4 50
Cleo Reed	3 41
Leon Reynolds	2 50
Mrs. Richardson	31 00
John Roddy	115 00
G. Rodgers	3 00
F. Savage	2 81
Mrs. William Smith	27 00
H. Stannard	26 00
Louis Staves	10 00
J. St. Lawrence	11 50
Mrs. George Taylor	4 50
Henry Wallett	3 00
Mr. Wentworth	15 00
John Winters	13 00
James Wright	7 00

PROPERTY AT CITY FARM.

I have filed with the City Treasurer an inventory of live stock, farming implements, horse, wagons, harnesses, hay, straw, coal, household furniture, etc., amounting to \$1,500.00.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER H. BROUSSEAU,

Overseer of the Poor.

Report of Health Officer

*To the President and Members of the Board of Health,
Rutland, Vermont.*

Gentlemen:—In accordance with the usual custom and requirements of the City Charter, I hereby submit my annual report as health officer for the year ending December 31, 1914.

The number of transmissible diseases reported during the year was 442, a decrease of 519 cases over the previous year. Of this number there were but three deaths—as against eighteen deaths from similar diseases in 1913. Nine of the twelve typhoid cases were either brought here for hospital care or had contracted the disease elsewhere.

An outbreak of small-pox occurred at the House of Correction in April, but three cases developed and the disease was confined to that institution. Infantile paralysis appeared in September, three children were afflicted with the disease and all are reported to be making good recoveries.

A mild form of diphtheria was prevalent throughout the latter part of the year. The disease was poorly reported and it was necessary to culture the throats of school children in order to exclude and isolate the carriers. This proved an effective measure at once—in three of the schools in which this work was done no more cases of the disease were reported.

In pursuance of the regulations requiring the health officer to investigate the cause of death when persons die without medical attendance, I beg to report that I was summoned to view twenty-three such cases, and to issue permission for their removal and burial as follows: Organic heart disease 9, apoplexy 4, nephritis 3, acute gastritis 2, accidental electrocution 1, suicide by firearms 1, inanition 1, gastric hemorrhage 1, pending investigation (autopsy) 1.

Nine patients were admitted to the Isolation Hospital. The hospital building and equipment are in good condition. A city line telephone has been installed and we hope to have a road made over the lot from Stratton Road to the hospital porch. This would add much to the comfort of patients who are obliged to ride over this rough ground—at present it is a trying experience, and when the ground is soft it is hardly safe to take an ambulance through the field.

The total number of deaths from all causes throughout the year was 265—a slight decrease over 1913.

TABLE A.

TRANSMISSIBLE DISEASES

1914	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Chicken-pox.....	41	5	2	2	0	4	2	0	0	6	12	10	84
Diphtheria.....	2	0	2	0	1	7	6	3	8	29	24	11	93
Erysipelas.....	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
German measles.....	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Infantile paralysis.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3
Measles.....	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
Mumps.....	11	1	2	4	3	11	10	3	6	26	37	27	141
Scarlet fever.....	12	5	6	11	2	8	4	2	2	0	2	1	55
Small-pox.....	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Typhoid fever.....	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	3	2	0	3	12
Whooping cough.....	8	5	7	8	4	1	0	0	3	1	1	0	38
Total.....	75	18	22	29	15	34	22	9	24	65	76	53	442

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TABLE B.
DEATH STATISTICS, 1914

SEX	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Male.....	18	6	14	12	10	8	8	9	14	18	9	11	137
Female.....	7	11	13	11	11	12	12	8	18	9	10	6	128
	25	17	27	23	21	20	20	17	32	27	19	17	265

TABLE C.

AGE

1914	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Under 1 year.....	7	1	1	2	3	5	1	3	6	2	3	2	36
1-5.....	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	1	11
5-10.....	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
10-15.....	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
15-20.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
20-30.....	1	2	3	0	3	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	14
30-40.....	0	1	5	3	0	2	0	2	2	2	2	0	19
40-50.....	1	2	5	2	1	1	2	0	0	8	1	1	24
50-60.....	2	4	4	2	3	2	3	4	2	4	0	2	32
60-70.....	7	3	2	6	5	2	5	2	7	4	4	4	51
70-80.....	5	2	2	5	0	4	8	4	6	2	7	5	50
80-90.....	2	1	1	2	3	1	0	0	3	3	0	0	16
Over 90.....	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	6
	25	17	27	23	21	20	20	17	32	27	19	17	265

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TABLE D.
INTERMENTS 1914

Calvary Cemetery.....	92
Evergreen Cemetery.....	93
Evergreen Vault.....	19
St. Joseph's Cemetery.....	11
St. Joseph's Vault.....	5
Shipped for burial elsewhere.....	83
Brought to Rutland for burial.....	35
House of Correction Cemetery.....	2
From one grave to another.....	10
Still births, 1914.....	11

TABLE E.

NATIVITY

1914	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Rutland.....	8	3	4	1	5	6	3	5	9	6	3	3	56
United States.....	13	8	20	20	13	11	13	6	13	11	9	9	146
England.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Canada.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	4	3	2	0	14
Ireland.....	3	4	1	2	1	2	3	3	6	3	4	1	33
Germany.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Italy.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	4
Other countries.....	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	9
Unknown.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	25	17	27	23	21	20	20	17	32	27	19	17	265

TABLE F.
DEATHS BY WARDS

1914	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Ward 1.....	5	0	1	1	1	2	1	3	3	5	5	0	27
Ward 2.....	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	3	1	13
Ward 3.....	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	9
Ward 4.....	3	0	2	0	2	1	0	2	0	2	4	0	16
Ward 5.....	4	3	13	8	7	4	6	3	5	5	5	6	69
Ward 6.....	0	0	2	2	2	3	0	1	5	4	0	3	22
Ward 7.....	3	3	3	4	1	1	6	1	7	3	1	1	34
Ward 8.....	5	2	2	2	3	1	1	2	4	0	1	1	24
Ward 9.....	1	1	0	2	2	2	2	0	4	2	0	3	19
Ward 10.....	0	3	3	2	1	4	1	2	2	1	0	1	20
Ward 11.....	1	4	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	12
Total.....	25	17	27	23	21	20	20	17	32	27	19	17	265

MISCELLANEOUS

Admitted to Isolation Hospital 1914.

Scarlet fever.....	4
Infantile paralysis.....	2
Diphtheria.....	2
Typhoid fever.....	1
Total.....	9

Milk inspections.....	47
Plumbing inspections.....	79
School inspections.....	36
Fire-escapes inspected.....	19
Fruit markets inspected.....	9
Disinfections.....	167

CAUSES OF DEATH 1914

No. 1—General Diseases:

Typhoid fever.....	1
Whooping cough.....	1
Diphtheria.....	1
Influenza.....	1
Pulmonary tuberculosis.....	9
Abdominal tuberculosis.....	2
Tuberculosis meningitis.....	1
General tuberculosis.....	1
Cancer of breast.....	1
Cancer of colon.....	1
Cancer of larynx.....	1
Cancer, mediastinal.....	1
Cancer of pancreas.....	2
Cancer of rectum.....	1
Cancer of stomach.....	13
Cancer of uterus.....	5
Epithelioma of vulva.....	2
Lympho-sarcoma of neck.....	1
Sarcoma of buttock.....	1
Sarcoma of thyroid.....	1
Sarcoma of neck.....	1
Diabetes mellitus.....	5
General septicemia.....	1
Total.....	54

No. 2—Diseases of the Nervous System:

Abscess of brain.....	1
Cerebral hemorrhage.....	30
Epilepsy.....	1
General Paralysis.....	3
Myelitis.....	1

Sciatic neuritis.....	1
Simple meningitis.....	1
Total.....	38

No. 3—Diseases of the Circulatory System:

Aneurysm of aorta.....	1
Angina pectoris.....	7
Cardiac asthma.....	1
Arterio-sclerosis.....	5
Valvular endocarditis.....	20
Cardiac embolism.....	1
Cardiac paralysis.....	1
Cerebral embolism.....	1
Malignant endocarditis.....	3
Myocarditis.....	3
Total.....	41

No. 4—Diseases of the Respiratory System:

Asthma.....	1
Broncho-pneumonia.....	3
Chronic bronchitis.....	1
Empyema.....	1
Pleurisy.....	1
Pulmonary embolism.....	1
Pulmonary edema.....	2
Lobar pneumonia.....	20
Total.....	30

No. 5—Diseases of the Digestive System:

Acute gastritis.....	3
Chronic gastritis.....	2
Gastric ulcer.....	3

Intestinal intususception.....	1
Cirrhosis of liver.....	4
Entero-colitis.....	3
Cholera-infantum.....	7
Gastro-enteritis.....	3
Suppurative appendicitis.....	2
Ruptured gall bladder.....	1
Strangulated femoral hernia.....	1
Perforation of intestines.....	1
Peritonitis.....	1
Gangrenous stomatitis.....	1
Total.....	33

No. 6—Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System and Adnexa.

Acute nephritis.....	1
Chr. Interstitial nephritis.....	16
Chr. parenchymatous nephritis.....	4
Cystitis.....	1
Chronic prostatitis.....	1
Pelvic abscess.....	1
Shock-operation for ovarian cyst.....	1
Total.....	25

No. 7—Diseases of the Puerperal State:

Paralysis intestines following caesarian section.....	1
Septicemia following miscarriage.....	1
Total.....	2

No. 8—Diseases of the Skin:

Septicemia of face.....	1
Total.....	1

No. 9—Diseases of the Bones:

Osteomalacia.....	1
Total.....	1

No. 10—Malformations:

Congenital malformation of heart.....	2
Status lymphaticus.....	1
Total.....	3

No. 11—Diseases of Early Infancy:

Premature birth.....	5
Malnutrition.....	2
Injury by forceps at birth.....	2
Hemetemesis.....	1
Intestinal paralysis.....	1
Improper feeding.....	2
Congenital debility.....	1
Non-development.....	1
Inanition-lack of care.....	1
Total.....	16

No. 12—Old Age:

Senility.....	8
Total.....	8

No. 13—External Causes:

Automobile accident.....	1
Accidental fall.....	2
Accidental gun shot wounds.....	2
Accident-crushed falling block of marble.....	1
Accidentally electrocuted.....	1
Poisoning by food-mushroom.....	1
Suicide by firearms.....	1
Pending investigation.....	1
Total.....	10

No. 14—Ill-Defined:

Convulsions.....	2
Debility.....	1
Total.....	3

MONTHLY SUMMARY OF DAILY WATER ANALYSIS, 1914

	CITY TAP		INTAKE	
	Total Samples Col.	B. Coli. Present	B. Coli. Absent	B. Coli. Present B. Coli. Absent
January	26	1 day	25 days	
February	23	1 day	22 days	
March	26	1 day	25 days	
April	26	5 days	21 days	
May	27	5 days	21 days	1 day
June	24	2 days	22 days	
July	27	10 days	16 days	1 day
August	37	15 days	11 days	11 days
September	39	8 days	18 days	9 days 4 days
October	27	8 days	19 days	
November	23	4 days	19 days	
December	25	3 days	22 days	

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK H. GEBHARDT, M. D.
Health Officer.

Report of the Inspector of Buildings

To the Honorable City Council:

In accordance with the requirements of the City ordinance, I respectfully submit my report as building inspector for the year ending Dec. 31, 1914.

Houses built.....	61
Barns changed to houses.....	12
Additions to houses.....	12
Piazzas built and repaired.....	52
Stores built and repaired.....	15
Barns built.....	16
Sheds built, moved and repaired.....	36
Poultry houses built and removed.....	34
Green houses.....	4
Garages.....	16
Marble shops.....	2
Machine shop.....	1
Theatre remodeled.....	1
New fronts on stores.....	2
Building used for U. S. mail service.....	1
Building used for foundry.....	1

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK CONNIFF,
Inspector of Buildings.

Report of the City Weigher

To the Honorable City Council:

I respectfully submit the following statement of weighing done on the City scale during the year 1914.

Paid the City Treasurer for 2,411 weights.....	\$241 10
Weigher's fees.....	120 55
Net.....	<u>\$120 55</u>

Number of loads of coal, etc., weighed for the school buildings, City and Memorial halls, free of charge, 651, making the total number of weights, 3,062.

Respectfully submitted,

H. B. WHITTIER,
City Weigher.

Report of the Rutland Free Library

To the Officers and Members of the Rutland Free Library Association.

The twenty-ninth annual report is herewith respectfully submitted:

Number of volumes in the Library Feb. 1, 1914	19,637
Increase by purchase.....	470
Increase by gift.....	49
Increase by binding periodicals.....	110
Number added from renting list.....	135
All other sources.....	3
	<hr/> 767
	20,404
Number of volumes worn out and withdrawn.....	38
	<hr/> 20,366
Number of volumes lost and not replaced.....	5
	<hr/> 20,361
Number of volumes withdrawn on account of contagious diseases.....	2
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Circulation of books 1914.....	61,536
Circulation of books 1913.....	62,866
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Decrease in circulation for 1914.....	1,430
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Circulation of pictures 1914.....	10,829
Circulation of pictures 1913.....	10,799
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Increase for 1914.....	30
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Number of cards issued during 1914.....	574
Number of cards issued during 1913.....	559
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Increase for 1914.....	15
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Number of cards issued to children during 1914.....	254
Number of teachers' and subscription cards issued during 1914.....	250
Number of teachers' and subscription cards issued during 1913.....	242
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Increase for 1914.....	8
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Number of books drawn by teachers during 1914....	15,679
Number of books drawn by teachers during 1913....	15,573
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Increase for 1914.....	106
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Number of works of fiction drawn by children during 1914.....	9,687
Number of works of fiction drawn by children during 1913.....	9,754
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Decrease for 1914.....	67
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Number of works of non-fiction drawn by children during 1914.....	4,269
Number of works of non-fiction drawn by children during 1913.....	4,048

Increase for 1914.....	221
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Number of days the Library has been open.....	303
Largest daily delivery March 7, 1914.....	491
Smallest daily delivery September 10, 1914.....	40
Average daily delivery.....	203

Amount received from fines 1914.....	\$188.09
Amount received from Association fees 1914.....	109.00
Amount received from subscriptions, 1914.....	20.10
Total.....	\$317.19

Number of periodicals subscribed for during 1914...	64
Number of periodicals received by gift.....	36
Total.....	100

LUCY D. CHENEY, Librarian

Treasurer's Report

To the Officers and Members of the Rutland Free Library Association:

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1913-14.....		\$713 67
Appropriation from City.....	\$3750 00	
Appropriation from Rutland town.....	100 00	
Fines, subscriptions, etc.....	208 19	
Association fees.....	109 00	
Tabard Inn Acct.....	150 48	
Gifts from Clubs.....	20 00	
Gifts from Clubs for Calendar Fund.....	15 00	
Sundries.....	33 58	
Int. transferred from Trust Funds.....	40 36	
		\$4,426 61
		\$5,140 28

DISBURSEMENTS

Books.....	\$1,007 32
Binding.....	308 67
Salaries.....	1,701 70
Printing and postage.....	95 02
Insurance.....	90 00
Lighting.....	130 33
Repairs on lights.....	10 29
Fuel.....	154 28
Telephone.....	30 10
Cleaning.....	56 00

Typewriter and table.....	97 00
Supplies.....	138 33
Catalog case.....	19 50
Book shelves.....	34 24
Calendar Fund Acct.....	15 00
Story hour (Mrs. Bragg).....	8 00
Oiling street.....	5 00
Incidentals.....	35 04
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	\$3,935 82
Cash on hand.....	1,204 46
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	\$5,140 28
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TRUST FUNDS.

Theo L. Smith fund.....	\$1,000 00
Interest to January 1, 1915.....	77 03
Harris fund.....	600 00
Interest to January 1, 1915.....	24 24
Seaver fund.....	300 00
Interest to February 1, 1915.....	12 12
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	\$2,013 39
Transferred to Library Acct.....	40 36
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	\$1,973 03
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SPECIAL FUNDS.

Calendar fund.....	\$1,135 50
Interest to February 1, 1915.....	45 66
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	\$1,181 16

Florence Cramton Cutts Legacy	\$10,000 00
Interest to February 1, 1915.....	35 28
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	\$10,035 28
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ELLEN B. CRAMTON,
Treasurer.

I have examined the accounts as stated and find them correct.

CORNELIA CHILDS PERKINS,
Auditor.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS
AND
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
OF THE
CITY OF RUTLAND
FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31
1914

School Calendar

1914-1915

(39 WEEKS)

FALL TERM

Fall Term begins Tuesday, September 8, 1914, and ends Friday, December 18, 1914—15 weeks. Vacation, 16 days.

WINTER TERM

Winter Term begins Monday, January 4, 1915, and ends Friday, March 26, 1915—12 weeks. Vacation, 9 days.

SPRING TERM

Spring Term begins Monday, April 5, 1915, and ends Friday, June 25, 1915—12 weeks.

SCHOOL SESSIONS.

For the grades 9 to 12 o'clock a. m. and 1:30 to 3:30 o'clock p. m.

For High School 8:45 to 12 o'clock a. m. and 1:30 to 3:00 o'clock p. m.

Holidays: Columbus Day, Thanksgiving Day, Washington's Birthday and Memorial Day.

No-school signal: six blasts on the fire whistle (— — — — —) given at 8 or 11:30, closes first four grades for the half day following. The same signal repeated —no session in any school for the half day following.

Regular meetings of the Board of Education, first Monday evening of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Superintendent's Office, High School Building.

Office hours of Superintendent of Schools, 8:30 a. m. to 10 a. m. on school days; Saturdays during the term time from 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 m. Office, High School Building.

Board of School Commissioners

CITY OF RUTLAND

Organized July 6, 1914

President, MARVELLE C. WEBBER, 26 So. Main St.

Clerk, DAVID B. LOCKE, 50 Church St.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

Name	Residence	Term Expires
Dennis J. Canty,	10 Engrem Ave.	1917
Thomas A. Cootey,	40 Washington St.	1915
Laura B. Cramton,	111 Park Ave.	1916
Edward C. Johnson,	17 Madison St.	1915
Harvey R. Kingsley,	73 Pine St.	1916
Charles H. Landon,	43 Grove St.	1917
George F. Leonard,	248 West St.	1916
Florence A. McCarthy,	33 Lincoln Ave.	1916
John F. Moloney,	Forest Place	1917
Henry S. Parker,	66 So. Main St.	1915
Marville C. Webber,	26 So. Main St.	1915

STANDING COMMITTEES

On School Instruction, Text-Books and Teachers—
McCarthy, Johnson, Parker, Cramton and Cootey.

On Supplies—Parker, Kingsley, Canty and Moloney.

On Finance—Landon, Kingsley and Leonard.

On School Houses, School Property and Fuel—Johnson,
Parker, Landon and Canty.

On Tuition—Kingsley, Leonard and Moloney.

On Rules, Regulations and Discipline—McCarthy, Cramton
and Cootey.

LIST OF TEACHERS

Name of School and Teacher	Grade	Where Educated	Salary	Service Began
David B. Locke.....	Superintendent.....	Dartmouth College.....	\$2,400 00	1906
<i>High School:</i>				
Isaac Thomas.....	Principal.....	Yale College.....	2,000 00	1908
Earle N. Gerrish.....	Asst. Principal.....	University of Vermont.....	1,600 00	1913
Christine L. Nelson.....	Assistant.....	Smith College.....	850 00	1912
Marian E. Monroe.....	Assistant.....	Plattsburg Normal.....	900 00	1903
Mary L. Moor.....	Assistant.....	Colby College.....	750 00	1914
Eleanor J. Meldon.....	Assistant.....	Rutland High School.....	750 00	1908
Ruth W. Temple.....	Assistant.....	Mt. Holyoke College.....	700 00	1908
Rowena E. Purdon.....	Assistant.....	Battle Creek College.....	700 00	1910
Nellie I. Button.....	Assistant.....	Middlebury College.....	700 00	1909
Marie W. Johnson.....	Assistant.....	Rutland High School.....	700 00	1907
Anna L. Butler.....	Assistant.....	Middlebury College.....	700 00	1913
Marion Thomas.....	Assistant.....	Smith College.....	700 00	1914
Raymond C. Bridges.....	Assistant.....	Colby College.....	1,000 00	1914
Nellie H. Newton.....	Assistant.....	Emerson School of Oratory.....	550 00	1907
†Rosalie Ogle.....	Prin. Teacher Training Course	Baltimore Training School.....	1,000 00	1914
Fannie A. Williams.....	Prin. Teacher Training Course	Syracuse University.....	900 00	1915
<i>Dana School:</i>				
*Rose C. Carrigan.....	Ninth.....	Rutland High School.....	775 00	1884
Mabelle A. Howley.....	Eighth.....	Rutland High School.....	475 00	1905
Agnes H. Rule.....	Sixth-Seventh.....	Rutland High School.....	525 00	1902

*Principal

†On leave of absence.

LIST OF TEACHERS—Continued

Name of School and Teacher	Grade	Where Educated	Salary	Service Began
E. Agnes Reynolds.....	Fifth.....	Castleton Normal.....	450 00	1906
Nora B. Anthony.....	Fourth.....	Rutland High School.....	525 00	1897
Aida P. Skeeles.....	Model Teacher 1st, 2nd and 3d Grades.....	Burlington High School.....	675 00	1894
<i>Gilrain Avenue:</i>				
Bernice H. Spafford.....	First-Sixth.....	Castleton Normal.....	425 00	1914
<i>Madison School:</i>				
*Bessie M. Otis.....	Seventh.....	Rutland High School.....	650 00	1895
Helena G. Corcoran.....	Fifth-Sixth.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	500 00	1903
Maria E. Steward.....	Third-Fourth.....	Rutland Classical Institute.....	500 00	1903
Anna F. Toohey.....	First-Second.....	Rutland High School.....	525 00	1896
<i>Longfellow School:</i>				
*Rhoda W. Southard.....	Seventh.....	Rutland High School.....	700 00	1885
M. Kittie Crowley.....	Ninth.....	Oswego Normal.....	625 00	1892
Louise A. Branchaud.....	Eighth.....	Rutland High School.....	550 00	1896
Adelaide B. Schryver.....	Sixth.....	Rutland High School.....	575 00	1895
Irene E. Moroney.....	Fifth.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	450 00	1908
Mary V. McCavet.....	Third-Fourth.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	450 00	1905
Mabel H. Gleason.....	Second.....	Rutland High School.....	525 00	1896
Mary A. Tully.....	First.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	450 00	1905

*Principal

LIST OF TEACHERS—Continued

Name of School and Teacher	Grade	Where Educated	Salary	Service Began
<i>Kingsley School:</i>				
*Louese R. MacFarlane.....	Fourth.....	Rutland High School.....	637 50	1894
Geraldine M. Lyston.....	Fifth-Sixth.....	Rutland Teacher Training Class	425 00	1914
Mary E. Hickey.....	Third.....	Rutland High School.....	525 00	1899
Lena C. Ross.....	Second.....	Dana Institute.....	575 00	1894
Katherine M. Walsh.....	First.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	500 00	1903
<i>School Street:</i>				
*Ellen Z. Mylott.....	Sixth-Seventh.....	Castleton Normal.....	650 00	1893
Mary J. Moher.....	Fourth-Fifth.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	450 00	1905
Margaret S. Hulihan.....	Second-Third.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	500 00	1903
Ellen E. Dunn.....	First.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	450 00	1910
<i>Lincoln School:</i>				
*Etta Franklin.....	Ninth.....	Rutland High School.....	725 00	1893
Jennie E. Cline.....	Seventh-Eighth.....	West Rutland High School.....	500 00	1913
May E. McCormack.....	Six-Seventh.....	Castleton Normal.....	525 00	1912
M. Catherine Purcell.....	Fifth.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	500 00	1903
Abbie E. Greaves.....	Fourth.....	Rutland High School.....	450 00	1908
Eleanor T. Maughan.....	Third.....	Castleton Normal.....	450 00	1914
Frances M. McCormack.....	Second.....	Castleton Normal.....	450 00	1910
C. Marion Anderson.....	First.....	Rutland High School.....	500 00	1903
<i>Watkins Avenue:</i>				
*Kate E. Lamb.....	First-Second.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	650 00	1893
Anna R. Maughan.....	Seventh-Eighth.....	Castleton Normal.....	550 00	1911
Lizzie I. McLaughlin.....	Fifth-Sixth.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	450 00	1906

*Principal.

LIST OF TEACHERS—Continued

Name of School and Teacher	Grade	Where Educated	Salary	Service Began
Catherine C. McKeogh.....	Third-Fourth.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	500 00	1904
<i>Park Street:</i>				
*Fannie C. Wilcox.....	Second-Third.....	Castleton Normal.....	550 00	1902
Mary E. Cannon.....	Sixth-Eighth.....	St. Joseph's Academy.....	525 00	1903
Mary E. Onion.....	Fourth-Fifth.....	Castleton Normal.....	450 00	1914
Agnes B. Crowley.....	First.....	Rutland High School.....	500 00	1904
<i>Supervisors:</i>				
Charles V. H. Coan.....	Supervisor Music.....	St. John's Chapel, N. Y. City...	800 00	1910
Harold B. Adams.....	Supervisor Manual Training...	Rindge Technical School.....	800 00	1912
Harrie A. Amsden.....	Supervisor Wood Working...	Bradford Academy.....	585 00	1914
Marion G. Lees.....	Supervisor Drawing.....	Massachusetts Normal Art.....	750 00	1911
A. Florence Goldsmith.....	Supervisor Do'tic Science...	Simmons College.....	700 00	1913
Mildred G. Adams.....	Office Clerk.....	Rutland High School.....	390 00	1910
John J. Hickey.....	Truant Officer.....	Rutland High School.....	600 00	1908

*Principal

LIST OF JANITORS

Name of Janitor	Building	Residence	Salary	Service Began
Henry J. Hostler	High School Building	38 Forest Street	\$1,200 00	1907
Fred LaParle	Dana School Building	46 East Center Street	600 00	1908
Joseph Begor	Gilrain Avenue Building	30 Stratton Road	75 00	1904
William D. Kelley	Madison School Building	26 Hopkins St.	420 00	1914
Thomas Borden	Longfellow School Building	18 Washington Street	550 00	1910
Asa R. Mairs	Kingsley School Building	3 Nickwackett Street	420 00	1912
Frank W. Rice	School Street Building	2 Rice Avenue	300 00	1908
Walter A. Davenport	Lincoln School Building	261 No. Main St.	540 00	1914
John O. Lefevre	Watkins Avenue Building	38 Hazel Street	360 00	1910
Joseph A. McIntyre	Park Street Building	69 Plain St.	480 00	1914

Report of the President OF THE Board of School Commissioners

To the Citizens of the City of Rutland:

In submitting the customary report on the schools of the city, I wish to commend to your careful consideration the extended report of the Superintendent, to whom is committed the direct supervision and management of the schools.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

I attach hereto the financial statement of the finance committee of the school board for the year ending December 31st, 1914.

From this statement you will see that the gross receipts for the support of the public schools in this city during the past year were \$64,616.29. Of this amount \$53,972.71 was realized from city taxes, \$3,618.16 from the State, \$3,240.46 from insurance, \$2,125.00 from tuition, \$1,001.01 for sale of high school text books, and the remainder, \$658.95, from sundries and unexpended balance of the previous year.

The total expenditures were \$64,209.12. Of this amount \$42,449.99 was paid for salaries, \$10,090.33 for the repairs on school buildings, \$4,279.37 for fuel and lights, \$4,766.69 for text books and supplies, and the balance, \$2,622.74, for insurance, rent, printing and advertising, and sundries.

On December 31st, 1914, there had been incurred bills to the amount of \$5,589.95 to be paid in January, 1915, as follows:

salaries for one month, \$4,706.59; repairs on school buildings, \$654.23; and sundries, \$229.13.

To meet these bills incurred in 1914, the school board had to its credit an unexpended balance in the city treasury of \$407.17, and we had on hand coal, text books and supplies, purchased in 1914, and one half of the various state rebates, an inventory of which was filed with the city treasurer, the estimated value of which would about offset the deficit in the school finances for the fiscal year.

The board of school commissioners has endeavored to conduct the schools during the past year on business principles and with the greatest economy consistent with efficient service and good results. When the board reorganized July last and planned the work for the remainder of the school year it expected, in accordance with charter restrictions, to close the financial year with all bills paid.

This desirable result would have been achieved had not the repairs on the Park Street building, necessitated by the recent fire in that building, greatly exceeded the board's estimate and the insurance money received, and had it not been necessary to expend a large amount in repairs upon the Madison School building, demanded by an order of the state board of health, which had to be complied with before that school could be opened for the fall term. To meet these two emergencies an outlay in excess of \$8,000 was required, while the amount received for insurance upon the Park Street building and furniture amounted to only \$2,535.00.

In other words, it required the expenditure of nearly \$5,500 of school money for extraordinary and unexpected repairs upon these two school buildings which caused the deficit in the school department.

SCHOOL PLANT

The president of the school board, in his report in 1912, clearly stated the condition of the school plant at that time and the inability of the board of school commissioners to meet extra-

ordinary outlays on the buildings out of the usual appropriation for school purposes, and I can well repeat his statement here, as follows:

"We are able to report that the school buildings and grounds in this city are, in general, in good condition, the school rooms attractive and well cared for. While this condition is gratifying to the board it must be remembered by the patrons of the schools and by the taxpayers of the city that a school plant costing in the aggregate several hundred thousand dollars, subjected to the continual and exacting uses of the schools and the public, and adequate to the needs of a growing and prosperous city, requires constant and watchful attention and a considerable outlay for up-keep each year. Two school buildings are still without modern system of heating and ventilation, the furnaces in four other buildings have now been in constant use for more than twenty years without extensive repairs and several school buildings will need painting and other repairs during the ensuing year.

"To meet the ordinary repairs on the buildings the school funds are sufficient, but to meet extraordinary improvements such as enlarging a school building or modernizing the heating and ventilation plant, the present resources of the schools are not adequate."

The city charter provides that. "It shall be the duty of said city to provide and maintain suitable school houses for the accommodation of all the public schools of said city." (Sec. 195); and that "The city council shall annually appropriate for the use of schools such sums as shall be recommended by the board of school commissioners, but such appropriation shall not exceed the amount which would be raised by a tax of fifty cents upon the dollar of the grand list of the city, excepting when authorized by the legal voters of the city to exceed that amount. Said board of school commissioners shall have no power to expend any money or to incur

any debt for any purpose by contract or otherwise beyond the amount of the appropriations made by the city council as herein provided." (Sec. 200).

In my opinion these two sections of the city charter require the city to provide and maintain, by special appropriation or bond issues, suitable school buildings, meet extraordinary repairs upon the same, and keep them adequately insured. The annual appropriation for schools is intended to be used to maintain the schools, and not to be used for the above mentioned purposes. Ordinary repairs upon the several school buildings may be met out of this appropriation.

If this interpretation is correct, the school board has paid out of its school funds more than is contemplated in the city charter; for, during the past year, the board has paid the annual premium of \$500 for carrying \$95,000 insurance on the school plant; \$2,500, in excess of insurance received, in repairing the Park Street building, necessitated in large part by the recent fire; \$1,000 for repairing the furnaces in the Longfellow and Kingsley buildings, and \$3,500 for improving the heating and ventilation system and making other improvements on the Madison Building called for under the recent order of the state board of health.

The present amount of insurance is not adequate, but it is more than the board can well carry. The city council should provide adequate insurance.

NEED OF A BOND ISSUE

The school board was compelled to meet these extraordinary expenditures to protect the city's property and to keep the schools running, and as a result a deficit of about \$5,500 existed in the school department at the close of the financial year, because of expenditures that ought not to come out of the appropriation for the schools.

Moreover, the state board of health has made an order upon the school board requiring extensive improvements in the high

school building prior to the opening of the schools next September. The school board has already considered plans, specifications and estimates of expense in making such improvements and the board feels confident that these will call for an expenditure from \$10,000 to \$12,000.

The order of the state board of health is imperative upon the school board and unless such improvements are made in accordance with the order it is probable that the high school cannot be opened next September.

Again, the avails of the last bond issue for enlarging the Lincoln School building were sufficient to furnish and equip only two of the four-room addition. These two extra rooms will soon be needed to accommodate the increased school population in that section of the city, and extensive repairs must soon be made upon the School Street and other school buildings and the school board can see no other way to secure the needed funds for these extraordinary improvements without a bond issue; hence, the school board at its last meeting by unanimous vote instructed its president to insert the proper article in the Warning of the next city election asking the citizens to authorize a bond issue of \$25,000 to make improvements.

MEDICAL INSPECTION

The citizens of Rutland at the two last annual elections have voted in favor of medical inspection in our schools by instructing the board of school commissioners to appoint one or more medical inspectors. In conformity with these instructions of the citizens, and in the belief that medical inspection properly conducted would be of advantage to the school children, not only during their school life but in their life work, by giving early attention to deficiencies that can be remedied, and, also, would be beneficial to the community at large in the prevention of communicable disease and in the improved health and condition of school children, the school board, after due deliberation, has adopted a plan of systematic medical inspection for the

schools in this city. This plan contemplates the employment of a medical inspector upon the basis of payment for time actually spent in the work and for the employment of a school nurse to devote her full time during the school year to medical inspection work.

It is expected that this plan carefully outlined by the school board will be put into effective operation in the near future. There seems to be a question whether it is not necessary, under the present statute relating to medical inspection, to submit to the voters annually whether they will authorize medical inspection for that year. On that account there will be an article in the Warning this year.

CONCLUSION

The school board takes this opportunity to express its confidence in the successful conduct of the schools in this city during the past year and its appreciation of the loyal support given to the schools by the citizens and tax payers of the city.

Respectfully submitted,

MARVELLE C. WEBBER,

President of the Board of School Commissioners.

Rutland, Vt., February 8th, 1915.

Financial Statement

For the Year Ending December 31, 1914

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1914	\$508 94
State School Funds	1,118 16
State Rebate on Manual Training	200 00
State Rebate on Domestic Science	200 00
State Rebate on Supt. of Schools	1,300 00
State Rebate on Teacher Training Course	800 00
Tuition Collected	2,125 00
Ground Rent	18 00
Sale of High School text books	1,001 01
Insurance on Park St. School and contents	3,040 46
Insurance on Madison School Bldg.	200 00
Incidentals	132 01
City Appropriation	53,972 71
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	\$64,616 29

EXPENDITURES

Salaries	\$42,449 99
Printing and advertising	119 42
Insurance	556 46
Repairs	10,090 33
Supplies	2,861 97
Fuel and lights	4,279 37
Text books	1,904 72
Rent	115 49
Sundries	1,831 37
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	\$64,209 12

Balance unexpended Dec. 31, 1914..... \$407 17

CHARLES H. LANDON,
HARVEY R. KINGSLEY,
GEORGE F. LEONARD,
Finance Committee.

Report of the Superintendent of Public Schools

To the Board of School Commissioners and City Council of
the City of Rutland:

In accordance with the regulations of your honorable
board, and the requirements of the City Charter, I herewith
present my ninth annual report of the schools of this city.

POPULATION AND VALUATION.

Population of the city, 1914 (estimated)..... 15,000
Grand list of the city, 1914..... \$108,448 32
Value of school property (estimated)..... 260,000 00
Children between the ages of 5 and 18, June 30, 1914:

Males.....	1,581	
Females.....	1,671	
Total.....	3,252	
Children between 5 and 8 years, June 30, 1914.....		830
Children between 8 and 16 years, June 30, 1914.....		1,894
Children between 16 and 18 years, June 30, 1914.....		528
Total.....	3,252	

ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE SINCE SEPT. 1, 1914.

Number enrolled in public schools.....	2,281
Average membership in public schools.....	2,071.6
Average daily attendance in public schools.....	1,983.6
Enrollment in parochial schools.....	716
Enrollment in other private schools.....	108
Enrollment in public and private schools.....	3,105
Less pupils enrolled twice.....	10
Net total enrollment.....	3,095

SCHOOL CENSUS OF CHILDREN.

Between the Ages of Five and Eighteen Years.
June 30th, 1914.

Ward	Males	Females	Totals
1.....	109	134	243
2.....	166	179	345
3.....	112	110	222
4.....	57	49	106
5.....	104	141	245
6.....	200	221	421
7.....	209	212	421
8.....	196	166	362
9.....	141	174	315
10.....	145	143	288
11.....	142	142	284
Totals, 1914.....	1581	1671	3252
Totals, 1913.....	1541	1648	3189
Totals, 1912.....	1539	1574	3113
Totals, 1911.....	1558	1584	3142
Totals, 1910.....	1516	1512	3028
Totals, 1909.....	1483	1497	2980

TABLE OF ATTENDANCE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS FROM SEPTEMBER 1, 1914, TO FEBRUARY 1, 1915.

Schools	Teachers	Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent of Attendance to Membership
High School.....	15	445	432.	427.	98.8
Dana.....	6	295	267.	253.2	94.8
Gilrain Avenue.....	1	21	21.3	19.2	90.1
Madison.....	4	164	153.1	145.2	94.8
Longfellow.....	8	326	288.7	273.6	94.8
Kingsley.....	5	209	175.5	164.	93.4
School Street.....	4	122	102.7	97.1	94.5
Lincoln.....	8	350	313.	299.	95.5
Watkins Avenue.....	4	178	164.9	157.2	95.3
Park Street.....	4	171	153.4	148.1	96.6
Special Teachers.....	6				
Totals, 1914-15.....	65	2281	2071.6	1983.6	95.8
Totals, 1913-14.....	64	2284	2092.7	1981.8	94.7
Totals, 1912-13.....	63	2251	2053.4	1949.2	94.9
Totals, 1911-12.....	64	2172	2003.8	1901.7	94.9
Totals, 1910-11.....	64	2191	1972.3	1870.	94.8
Totals, 1909-10.....	64	2148	1988.9	1870.6	94.1

ENROLLMENT, MEMBERSHIP AND ATTENDANCE FOR THE
NATURAL SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1913

SCHOOLS	Teachers	Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent of Attendance to Membership
High School.....	16	432	399	382.2	95.8
Dana.....	6	293	274	258	94.2
Gilrain Avenue.....	1	21	18.8	16.9	90
Madison.....	4	180	161.7	148.8	92
Longfellow.....	8	352	318.4	302.1	94.9
Kingsley.....	5	225	203.1	188	92.6
School Street.....	4	123	107.5	100.6	93.6
Lincoln.....	7	272	263.6	249.2	94.5
Watkins Avenue.....	4	171	160.8	151.	93.9
Park Street.....	4	165	153.1	144.	94.1
Special Teachers.....	6				
Totals, 1913-14.....	65	2234	2060.	1940.8	94.2
Totals, 1912-13.....	63	2233	2003.1	1888.9	94.2
Totals, 1911-12.....	64	2147	1989.3	1872.3	94.1
Totals, 1910-11.....	64	2158	1948.6	1825.2	93.7
Totals, 1909-10.....	64	2259.	1952.7	1827.6	93.5

General Average of the State, 1913-14.....92.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

For the Natural School Year Ending June 30, 1914.

Total expenditures for all the schools.....	\$58,922 67
Total expenditures on High School including repairs and equipment, but less book rebate.....	20,298 97
Total expenditures on Grade Schools.....	38,623 70
Average cost per pupil based on membership.....	28 60
Average cost per High School pupil based on membership.....	50 87
Average cost per grade pupil based on membership.....	23 25
Expense for free text books and supplies less rebates.....	3,765 68
Expense per pupil based on average membership.....	1.83

The above statistics are based upon the latest returns to the City Clerk and to the State Superintendent of Education. Compared with those of last year they show that during the natural school year ending June 30, 1914, the enrollment,

membership and attendance increased eleven, fifty-seven and fifty-two respectively while for the first half of the current school year the enrollment, membership and attendance each remained practically the same as recorded the preceding year.

The percentage of attendance to the membership continues to show a general average of 94.2% compared with a general average throughout the state of 92%.

FINANCES

The total resources for the schools during the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1914, were \$64,616.29 and the expenditures were \$64,209.12, leaving an unexpended balance in the City Treasury of \$407.17. There also had been contracted additional bills to the amount of \$5,589.95, which were properly chargeable to the school accounts of 1914 but which by the by-laws of the Board, were not due until January, 1915. After deducting the unexpended balance in the City Treasury and not anticipating estimated assets, there existed on December 31st, 1914, a deficit in the School Department of \$5,182.78.

This unexpected deficit resulted from two extraordinary expenditures. In January, 1914, the Park Street School Building was damaged by fire which together with other needed improvements, principally on the heating and ventilation system of the building, caused an expenditure of \$2,669.86 in excess of the insurance received for damage on the building and furniture.

On July 20th the State Board of Health served notice upon the School Board that certain improvements in the lighting, heating and ventilating of the Madison School Building must be made prior to the opening of the schools in September, 1914. The School Board proceeded to comply with the order of the State Board of Health and has expended upon that property since receiving said notice, \$3,558.38.

Had it not been for these two extraordinary and unexpected expenditures amounting to \$6,228.24 no deficit would have existed in the School Department at the close of the last fiscal year.

IMPROVEMENT OF SCHOOL PLANT

On July 20th, the State Board of Health also served notice upon the School Board that certain specific improvements should be made upon the High School Building to meet the regulations of said Board of Health in all particulars before the opening of the school in the fall of 1915.

The School Board has taken steps to comply with this order by securing plans, specifications and estimates of cost for such improvements and the School Board is convinced that it will require an outlay of from \$10,000 to \$12,000 to carry out this order of the State Board of Health.

Moreover, repairs and improvements involving a large expenditure must soon be made upon other school buildings, particularly the School Street Building and the fitting up of two additional rooms in the Abraham Lincoln Building.

The City Charter does not allow the Board of School Commissioners or even the City Council to appropriate and expend money, even for such extraordinary improvements, in excess of what the schools are now receiving and have for several years past received, except as such expenditures are authorized by the voters of the city.

The School Board has, therefore, caused an article to be inserted in the Warning of the coming city election, authorizing the City Council to issue bonds to meet these extraordinary improvements to be made upon the several school buildings and to meet the deficit in the school finances caused by the repairs on the Park Street Building occasioned by the recent fire and also the repairs on the Madison School Building made necessary by the order of the State Board of Health.

TEACHING FORCE

The policy adopted several years since of filling vacancies in the teaching force with trained and experienced teachers only and of paying the salaries that such teachers and positions command has been strictly adhered to. Seven positions during the year have been filled as follows: four by college graduates, two by normal graduates and one by a graduate from the Rutland Teacher Training Class.

The teaching force is exceptionally strong and the work of the schools continues upon a high plane of efficiency.

Twenty-seven teachers now hold life certificates which show that such teachers have taught in this state in excess of five hundred weeks. The present teaching force consists of the following:

High School teachers	15
Grade teachers	44
Special teachers	6
Total	65

The teachers prepared for their professional duties as follows:

	1909	1915
College-bred	7	13
Normal-trained	6	12
Academies and High Schools	39	35
Special training	10	5
Total	62	65

The schedule of automatic increases in grade teachers' salaries due to time service, adopted a score of years ago, was formally abolished last May to take effect July 1st, 1914, and all future increases in salaries are to be based upon efficiency and merit. Under the former system as originally adopted the salary paid new teachers during the first years of service

was so small that it was impossible to secure those who were thoroughly trained and efficient since the salaries paid in other towns and cities were so far above that paid new teachers under the old schedule that efficient teachers naturally sought positions elsewhere, frequently outside the state.

Under the new system the Board is at liberty, if it wishes to exercise its right, to pay each teacher a salary commensurate with her efficiency irrespective of the number of years of service. This right the Board should exercise with discretion and with absolute justice to all. If I mistake not, the aim of the Board will be not to decrease present salaries, but rather to grant increases in the future based entirely on excellency in work, and to select candidates on the ground of efficiency rather than accept inefficient teachers at low salaries.

Last May four hundred teachers of this county held a convention in this city under the auspices of the Rutland Teachers' Association. At this meeting the Rutland County Teachers' Association was organized. The design of this county organization is to hold a meeting within the county each spring for mutual helpfulness and for the study of the school problems peculiar to this county.

The teachers in this city will again have the pleasure of entertaining the teachers of the state since the Executive Committee of the State Teachers' Association has given notice that the next annual convention of the State Association will be held in this city, October 14-16, 1915. It is always a source of inspiration to teachers of any city to have the State Convention meet with them and it will be our endeavor to extend so cordial a greeting to the visitors that it will likewise be a pleasure to them to attend future conventions in this city.

During the past year more than one thousand persons visited our schools, many of whom came from outside our city limits. It is always gratifying to teachers and pupils to receive visitors, especially the parents and friends of the pupils.

PENSIONS FOR TEACHERS

The teachers of this city are greatly interested in the state-wide movement of pensioning those who by reason of age or other disability are incapacitated for further service in the public schools.

Under the present laws, towns and cities may pay a pension to a teacher who has taught in a public school in this state thirty years. The state also has agreed to duplicate any sum, not exceeding \$10,000 annually, raised by private efforts for creating a State Retirement Fund.

Under this latter law the teachers and their friends in Rutland have already contributed \$1,565 and the total fund at present amounts to about \$25,000.

The teachers realize that under the present laws it must of necessity be many years before the income from such a Retirement Fund will be sufficient to pay adequate pensions and therefore there is quite a general desire to secure further legislation whereby a percentage of the salary of the teacher may be deducted by the town or city and added to the income of the State Retirement Fund so that a state system of pensions may become operative in the near future. In case such further legislation cannot be secured, I would suggest the advisability of the Board receiving authority from the city to pension deserving teachers who may wish to retire.

It is especially fitting that Rutland take the lead in this movement since no other town in the state can show more continuous or worthy service on the part of its teachers.

MEDICAL INSPECTION

In accordance with the vote at the last two city elections the School Board, after careful investigation of the methods employed in other cities, has agreed upon a plan of medical inspection in the public schools of this city to be put into operation as early as practicable. The plan adopted includes the employment of a medical inspector who will receive pay

for service actually rendered and a school nurse who will give her entire time, under the direction of the inspector, to detection and follow-up work in the school and the home.

It is believed that such work will be effective in safeguarding children from contagious diseases and in detecting and removing defects which may be remedied by proper attention and treatment.

VERMONT EDUCATIONAL SURVEY

In 1912 by legislative enactment, a commission was appointed by the Governor to investigate the educational system and condition of the state and to recommend by bill, or otherwise, such re-organization of our public elementary and secondary schools in adjustment to the entire educational system of the state as would promote the ends of unity, harmony, economy and efficiency. In accordance with this enactment the educational commission made, or caused to be made, an exhaustive survey of the educational interests of the state and has presented a bill embodying its recommendations to the General Assembly now in session. It is impossible to say whether this bill will be enacted into a law. In case it becomes a law it will have a direct effect upon the general management and control of the public schools in liberalizing courses of study, in equalizing educational advantages and expenditures, and in re-directing the emphasis and aims of public education in this state. In case the bill is not passed, it is probable that the several reports made and the discussions engendered thereby will have an indirect influence upon the present courses of study and aims in education almost as great as if it should become a law.

In view of this uncertainty in the educational status of the state, little attempt has been made in our schools during the past year to introduce new courses or modify courses already established. All the various departments have been conducted with efficiency and the results obtained in each have on the whole been very gratifying.

EDUCATIONAL TREND

The trend in public school education, especially in secondary grades during the last two decades in this country and abroad, has been clearly along vocational lines. This term "Vocational Education" as here used is meant those practical studies which will enable the child to find himself, aid him most in the right choice of an occupation and best prepare him for useful employment.

The Commission on Vocational Education, appointed by the President of the United States, one member of which is Hon. Carroll S. Page of Vermont, reports as follows:

"There is a great and crying need of vocational education for every part of the United States—to conserve and develop our resources; to promote a more productive and prosperous agriculture; to prevent the waste of human labor; to supplement apprenticeship; to increase the wage-earning power of our productive workers; to meet the increasing demand for trained workmen; to offset the increased cost of living. Vocational education is needed as a wise business investment for this Nation, because our national prosperity and happiness are at stake and our position in the markets of the world can not otherwise be maintained."

"That such schools supported and controlled by the public should be of three types in order to meet a variety of needs:

a. All-day schools in which practically half of the time should be given to actual practice for a vocation on a useful or productive basis.

b. Part-time schools for young workers over 14 years of age, which should extend either their vocational knowledge or give preparation for entrance to a vocation or extend the general civic or vocational intelligence of the pupils.

c. Evening schools to extend the vocational knowledge for mature workers over 16 years of age."

The scheme here outlined, showing the present trend in public school education, has been undertaken in part or in whole with marked success by many towns and cities in New England and by still a larger number in the West. While the School Board of Rutland would be unable with its present resources to carry out the entire plan, it is possible to work along those lines and to undertake some phases of the work which thus far it has not attempted.

Part-time courses in school and shop work are possible with no additional expense to the city and with a decided relief to the present crowded condition in the High School.

Continuation courses for assisting those who have been obliged to leave school to aid in the support of the home could be conducted by the present teaching force with little added expense.

Public evening schools for all persons above compulsory school age, who have been compelled to leave school or who have recently come to our country, could be carried on at comparatively little additional expense to the city.

Additional industrial and business courses might be established some of which, particularly in agriculture, would be assisted by state aid.

The question may be raised whether, with the limited school funds, the city should attempt more in education than the state requires. The Board already is doing much more than the minimum of requirements of the state by keeping the schools in session during a longer school year and by maintaining special and advanced courses in both the elementary and secondary grades.

The question is, therefore, how can the Board expend the funds at its disposal for the greatest good to the greatest number thereby securing to the people of Rutland the highest benefits from our public school system?

HIGH SCHOOL

The High School continues to hold, as it justly deserves, a very important place in the educational system of our country; and it is a matter of gratification that our High School ranks as one of the very best in the State.

During the last school year the enrollment, membership and attendance of the school equaled that of any previous year; while during the present year they have each exceeded that of last year; it is also worthy of note that during the present year the regularity of attendance excels that of any former year and is probably not exceeded in any high school in New England.

Within the past few years new courses have been established in manual training, domestic science, elocution and training of teachers; and courses in the commercial, science and art departments have been greatly strengthened.

The graduating class last June numbered eighty and nearly one-half of its members are continuing their studies in higher institutions of learning. The present senior class numbers seventy-eight, and doubtless as large a proportion of its members will continue their studies elsewhere next year.

The expense last year of maintaining the High School, including a reasonable proportion of the cost of school administration and miscellaneous expenditures, exceeded \$20,000 or about 34% of the total amount expended upon all the schools. Not including the interest on the amount invested in the school plant nor the several rebates received from tuitions and from the state, it cost the city last year, based on the average membership, \$50.87 for educating each pupil in the High School and \$23.25 for each pupil in the grades.

The Principal in his report has called your attention to the crowded condition of the school and the need of additional teaching force; and the State Board of Health has ordered the city to make extensive improvements on the building, all of which will still further increase the per capita cost in the High School.

During the present school year sixty-seven pupils outside the city have attended the school paying tuition at the rate of \$36.00 per year, which is at least \$14.00 per pupil less than it costs the city.

In view of the importance and the large expense involved in maintaining our High School, I feel it my duty to raise three questions for the consideration of the Board.

1. Whether the amount expended upon the High School is out of proportion to the total amount of money at the disposal of the Board?

2. Whether tuition pupils are bearing a just proportion of the expense of maintaining the High School?

3. Whether the school, even at present, is giving a just and proportionate attention to those pupils who are preparing for citizenship and the ordinary duties of life?

It should be stated, in fairness to the present courses of study, that the cost of maintaining courses along vocational lines is greater than those along academic lines, and also that the per capita cost in our High School is at present lower than the average per capita cost in the ten largest high schools in the state. In my opinion the tuition should by no means be raised to such an extent as to prohibit outside pupils from attending the High School, since it is desirable to have these pupils in our school and city and it would be unjust to deprive them of high school advantages.

EYE AND EAR TEST

The following data comprehend the results of the examination of eyes and ears of the pupils in the public schools of the city of Rutland, made during the current year in accordance with the state law; these data are published in the belief that they may be of interest and help to parents.

CITY OF RUTLAND

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	1912	1914
Number of pupils examined	1,670	1,697
Number of pupils found defective	364	345
Per cent of pupils found defective	21.8	20.3

Number of pupils found defective in Eyes

Both eyes	189	177
Right eye only	42	51
Left eye only	50	42

Total	281	270
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Ears

Both ears	14	13
Left ear only	12	1
Left ear only	12	1

Total	33	20
Defective in two or more organs	16	26

SPECIAL REPORTS

Annexed to this report will be found those of the Principal of the High School, Supervisor of Music, Supervisor of Drawing, Supervisor of Manual Training, Supervisor of Domestic Science, Principal of the Teacher Training Class and Truant Officer.

We ask your careful attention to these reports which give a general idea of the scope of work done in these various departments.

* CONCLUSION

In closing this report I wish again to make hearty acknowledgment of the unfailing courtesy, good will and assistance, so generously extended to me during the past year by all with whom I have been associated.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID B. LOCKE,
Superintendent of Schools.

February 15th, 1915.

Report of the Principal of the High School

Rutland High School, Feb. 1, 1915.

To Mr. David B. Locke, Superintendent of Schools:

In presenting to you this, my sixth annual report of the high school, it seems to me quite unnecessary to give many statistics regarding registration, attendance, and so forth, inasmuch as these may be found in the proper tables. Nor does it seem to me necessary to speak of the school in regard to its daily work and its activities, athletics and the like, except in a general way. Enough to say that the work of the school keeps its established high grade, as proved by the record of our boys and girls in and out of college; that the athletics are in better condition than a year ago at this time, better in tone, in spirit, and in finances; and that the school paper, "The Oread," has greatly improved its standing, both in finances and in school interest and school support.

But the few changes that were made last September in the administration of the Course of Study are working hardship in various directions, something that always happens when changes are made without careful and intelligent consideration of the conditions under which the changes have to be administered and without wise foresight in providing the means for carrying out the changes to the best advantage of all concerned. For example, the school is suffering from overcrowded classes in some subjects; from the teaching of some subjects by teachers who ought not to be required to teach them; from a complication of the daily program by which the work of the special studies is very much cramped; and from a daily requirement of work of some

teachers that makes quite impossible that efficiency of which the teachers are capable and to the benefit of which the boys and girls are entitled.

The two things fundamentally responsible for this condition of hardship are: (1) lack of sufficient room, (2) lack of a sufficient number of teachers. Let me present these two matters separately. There are in the high school 403 seats, and at the present writing—though the year is half over—there are 402 pupils, exclusive of the Teachers' Training Class and the Post Graduates, 421 in all. Since September, 22 have dropped out so that the building has been overseated, at times, by 16 to 18, an overseating made possible by crowding into several of the rooms tables and chairs. But to seat a high school and to move it for work are two very different things, as even a tyro in school administration knows, and under the specialized teaching system of all secondary schools the moving of the school to recitations becomes a necessity. To fill the seating capacity of such a school, much more to overseat it, becomes, therefore, a very serious hindrance to its work.

This has been the condition of the high school since last September. In June, 1915, after graduation, there will remain in the school, in round numbers, 325, so that, reckoning only 125 for the incoming class—161 have thus far been enrolled in the Freshman Class this year—there will be 450 to be seated in the present building's 403 seats, for I have excluded from my calculation the Teachers' Training Class and Post Graduates. This reckoning takes no account of the action of the Board of Health in condemning the overcrowding of some rooms in the building, which will diminish the number of seats in it. Evidently, then, there will not be room next year even to seat the school, much less to move it. The situation seems to me to demand your most serious attention.

But lack of a sufficient number of teachers is as serious a drawback to that school efficiency to which the taxpayer is entitled, as is a lack of room, though much more easily remedied. The school ought to have had an additional teacher this year, for the lack of one has made many divisions too

large and has filled the time of teachers too full for the best service to the pupils. This also demands the Board's serious attention, and when the prospective changes in the curriculum have been worked out there will much more likely be a need for two additional teachers than for one.

As a temporary relief to the crowded condition of the school, both for teachers and pupils, without much expense, I recommend the removal of the Manual Training work to a separate building and of the Superintendent's office to the City Hall. The first would give room for 25 to 30 pupils more in the high school; the second would both give to the lady teachers a respectable place for a cloak room, to the principal a convenient place for his office, and to the school an additional, if small, recitation room, to say nothing of the large room in the basement which, with a hard wood floor in it, would serve admirably as a drawing room, leaving the Assembly Hall entirely free for recitation purposes.

I ought to mention as a matter for thankfulness the resumption of the normal school day, closing at three o'clock, and the continuation of the one session on Friday, both of which have measurably increased the good work of the school by ministering greatly to its good-will and content. I am glad to record the appreciation of the school for this wise consideration on the part of the Board.

In closing I wish to thank the Board for their continued confidence in the administration of the high school, a confidence which the principal and his teachers will continue to show has not been misplaced.

Respectfully submitted,

ISAAC THOMAS.

Principal.

Report of the Supervisor of Music

To Mr. David B. Locke, Superintendent of Schools:

The following is my report for the year 1914.

The music study in the schools during the past year has progressed along the usual lines with a gratifying improvement in interest and ability in several rooms. During the Winter Term the Teacher Training Class received a course of lessons in elementary music work. The young ladies took up the study with unusual interest, and each one presented, in practice-teaching, one or more rote songs, applying to each the usual methods for developing from the music of the song, perceptions of phrasing, rhythm, tonality and intervals. In the Spring Term the junior orchestra played two selections at the Baseball Fair, which were rendered with accuracy and spirit, giving good promise of their future usefulness. Beginning also with that term the High School Seniors took up the music for their Commencement which as the time drew near seemed to be well learned, but which was disappointing in force and expression on Commencement day, showing that more rehearsing and greater earnestness and pride should be given the matter if the class music is to be successful on this important occasion.

The singing of the upper grades at their Memorial Day exercises in the Assembly Hall was unusually smooth and expressive. At the close of the exercises the Salute to the Flag was splendidly *sung* for the first time by the hundreds of children and was most inspiring. The singing of the ninth grades at their graduation exercises and the playing of the orchestra at the High School Commencement were worthy of especial mention. During the Fall Term at a concert for

the benefit of the Teachers' Retirement Fund the children contributed some good chorus singing, the older classes doing very creditable work entirely unaccompanied and without conducting. Owing to multiplicity of engagements the High School orchestra rehearsals were poorly attended during the Fall Term and very little ensemble work could be done, although perhaps rather more individual work has been accomplished than during some other seasons.

It is pleasant to refer to the interest with which the upper grade classes learned their music for participation in Rutland's first Community Christmas, and it would seem that nothing except the extreme cold prevented a complete success of the undertaking.

The splendid results which are obtained in hundreds of schools of the country by the use of the Victrola leads me earnestly to recommend the purchase of a few of these instruments of the design used in school work, together with some well chosen records intended to cultivate a taste for the *good* in music and to develop appreciation and analysis. Only by the constant hearing of beautiful music by the people at large can the public taste be raised, and this can be accomplished for the children of the rich and poor alike by the Victrola in the schools.

I also sincerely hope that the time is not far distant when music in the schools of Rutland may be put upon an accredited basis, and may more nearly approach the rising standard which is being set by the progressive schools throughout the country.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES V. H. COAN,
Supervisor of Music.

February 15th, 1915.

Report of the Supervisor of Drawing

To Mr. David B. Locke, Superintendent of Schools:

The report of the Supervisor of Drawing for the year 1914-15 is hereby presented.

One year's work follows another with little change in subject and constant improvement in method. The course aims to present the subject so that a child of average ability may gain a knowledge applicable to his daily life. A well disciplined room, an understanding of the subject by the teacher and an orderly presentation of the lesson are necessary to secure good results.

The teachers of the first four grades continue to do all the teaching with the aid of meetings where the program for the following month is presented and explained. In grades five to nine the teachers give one-half of the lessons. Owing to the seating of two grades in a room in many of the schools, one program is planned for grades one and two, one for grades three and four and one for grades five and six. Where there are such combinations as grades two and three, four and five, or six with seven or eight, the program of the lower grade has to be used or the programs of the two grades have to be adapted. Either arrangement interferes with the graded course in drawing and retards the progress of the pupil.

In the High School this year there are four classes in mechanical drawing and three in freehand, the total registration in the latter being larger than that of last year. During the fall term lessons of a double period a week were given to the Teacher Training Class, outside work being required. It seems wise to repeat a statement made in previous reports, that those who intend to take this course should elect drawing for the preceding years of High School. Normal instruction

presupposes a knowledge of a subject. Many who enter the Teacher Training Class do not have this knowledge of drawing. This lack makes it difficult for pupils and teacher to secure the results desired.

The yearly exhibit of Drawing, Manual Training, and Domestic Science was held in the Dana Building last June. The drawing exhibit aims to show the orderly development of the course from grade one through the High School in the main subject taught such as drawing of flowers and fruits, design or adaptation of natural forms to practical use, and object drawing or perspective. The designs are worked out in class and are as original as individual ability can produce. Last year the sixth grade girls applied their rosette designs to pin cushions and the seventh and eighth grade girls, their bilateral designs to bags. The designs were applied under the direction of the teacher in sewing. The work exhibited is selected from the regular lessons.

The last exhibit was more extensive than heretofore and represented careful, conscientious and excellent work on the part of pupils and teachers. The small number who visited it was a disappointment. The parents and friends who came were very appreciative of the work displayed. A cordial invitation is extended to all to visit our next exhibit.

Thanks are due to teachers, pupils, and to all who give willing and intelligent aid and co-operation in the development of the course. The ready response to each demand is very gratifying and is much appreciated by me personally.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION G. LEES,

Supervisor of Drawing.

February 6th, 1915.

Report of the Supervisor of Manual Training

To Mr. David B. Locke, Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby present my third annual report as Supervisor of Manual Training.

Perhaps the most prosperous year thus far in the history of this department has just passed. The crowded condition of the classes, particularly in the High School, and the interest manifested by the boys in their work show us more and more that Manual Training has finally secured a firm foundation in our schools. The increasing desire of the students for this line of work warns us that in the near future the enlargement of the department cannot be avoided.

The installation of machinery has especially made the department more interesting to all students and the efficiency since its installation has been doubled.

The work completed in the past year has been similar to that of previous years except for the introduction of more difficult and practical problems.

Such articles as bread boards, book stacks, foot stools, library tables, music cabinets, chairs, etc. have been constructed this year by the students and the admiration of their parents and friends has not only encouraged but has given the students a feeling of self-confidence which is of vast importance in their work.

Commencing with the spring term it is the Supervisor's intention to make the High School course more practical. For instance, we intend to have the boys learn to set glass, file saws, shingle, lay floors, build stairs, etc., all of which must be admitted as practical and of benefit to the boy as well as being valuable assets to him in the future.

It is my earnest desire that the Board of School Commissioners install before the beginning of a new school year a suitable machine for grinding tools, which is absolutely necessary for the good work of the department.

As I have stated before, the increasing interest in this line of work and the continual increase in the number of students enrolled necessitates a building whereby we may have more space and better light, and that the noise necessary for the best results in this work may not disturb those students interested in other branches of education. The Supervisor sincerely hopes that the parents and citizens of this city who are interested in this department will aid us in securing such a building.

In closing, I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all those with whom I have been associated and to my co-worker, Mr. Amsden, for his unfailing interest in the work of this department.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD B. ADAMS,
Supervisor of Manual Training.

February 1st, 1915.

Report of the Supervisor of Domestic Science

To Mr. David B. Locke, Superintendent of Schools:

The report of the Supervisor of Domestic Science for the year 1914-15 is herewith presented.

It was most gratifying to me to know that the entire Freshman Class of girls, with the exception of about a dozen, elected the course in cooking this year. This is an increase of fifty percent over the numbers of last year and is a proof that the people of Rutland are realizing the importance of a course whereby their girls may become efficient home-makers. With this continual increase it will not be long before there will be a complete four-year course in Household Economics in the Rutland High School.

Miss Emma Conley defines Domestic Science as "a study of foods—their composition, structure, nutritive value, and their place in the diet—so that when a food is to be served, we know what it furnishes to the body, what effect heat has upon it, what conditions effect its digestibility, and in what **proportion it is best to serve it.**"

With this definition in mind the Domestic Science course in the High School has been extended one year, so that it is now open to the girls of the first three years. The work in the first half of the Freshman year is devoted to a lecture course under the subject of Household Management. These lectures include talks on Household Hygiene; that is, ventilation, heating, lighting, water supply, plumbing, and cleaning; and on nutrition and diet; that is, the composition of the body and of food, classification of foods, digestion, balanced meal, and planning of meals.

The work in the second half of the Freshman year, the entire Sophomore year, and the first half of the Junior year is spent in practical cookery, the course being similar to that outlined in last year's report.

This year for the first time the Junior class had the opportunity of electing Domestic Art. It is to be regretted that only a few were able to take the course on account of the conflicts with their other work. The class has met for an hour and a half each week and has made shirt waists, underwear, and reviewed many simple things in the course which had been forgotten.

There has been a change in the course of sewing in the grades. On account of the large number of classes in cookery more of my time had to be given to the High School, therefore sewing in the sixth grades had to be discontinued.

From September until Christmas the seventh grades spent one and one-half hours a week on plain sewing. Pupils have made small articles such as sewing aprons, hemstitched handkerchiefs, featherstitched dusters, etc.

The work in the eighth and ninth grades is similar to that of last year; that is, in the eighth grade each girl makes a complete set of underwear and a kimona, and learns how to make the various embroidery stitches. Sewing machines are used by the pupils of the ninth grades; these pupils are making sewing aprons, nightgowns, cooking outfits, and will finish the work by making either simple wash dresses or underwear.

The exhibition at the Dana School last June was a success as far as the work of the children and the efforts of the teachers were concerned, but the people of Rutland did not respond as one would wish. I regret to say that only two hundred and seventy-five people visited the exhibit and only twenty-nine of these were parents of the children in school. All who can attend this year will receive a cordial welcome and will help to encourage the children in their work.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE GOLDSMITH,

Supervisor of Domestic Science.

February 12th, 1915.

Report of the Principal of Teacher Training Class

To Mr. David B. Locke, Superintendent of Schools:

At the beginning of the Winter Term the work of the Training Class was for a short time interrupted by the illness of its Principal, Miss Rosalie Ogle, who began her work here last September. Notwithstanding the fact that Miss Ogle had to take a leave of absence the work of the class is being carried forward according to her well defined plans made in the early fall.

The enrollment both in the Training Class and in the Practice Schools has practically equaled that of a year ago. As heretofore, the Training Class has reviewed the common branches and at the same time received instruction in methods of teaching the same. The required amount of time has already been given to observation in all grades.

Practice in teaching has been arranged for and will be completed before the end of the year, that of the first four grades being obtained in the Practice Schools. Special instruction has already been given in Drawing, Music and Sewing and the work in Cooking and Manual Training is yet to follow.

It can hardly be questioned that the Training Course gives a teacher excellent preparation for grade teaching. If there be one who does doubt the ability of teachers thus trained, he has only to read the very satisfactory reports that come back of the work of former members of the Training Class to be convinced that he has erred in his judgment. Yet a higher degree of efficiency might be obtained if before

entering, members of the class would make sure to possess a thorough knowledge of the common branches since there is not time for more than a hasty review of such in connection with the work required in theory and practice of teaching.

In closing this report, it does not seem out of place to add that the spirit of earnestness and conscientiousness with which the members of the present class have aimed and are still aiming to prepare themselves for future work is most commendable.

Respectfully submitted,

FANNIE A. WILLIAMS,
Principal Teacher Training Class.

February 15th, 1915.

Report of the Truant Officer

To Mr. David B. Locke, Superintendent of Schools:

I beg leave to submit herewith my report as truant officer for the year ending December 31, 1914.

Number of absentees reported	863
Number of cases investigated	863
Number having legal and reasonable excuses	819
Number of truancy cases	44
Sent to Industrial School	1

In addition to the absentees reported above, there are reports from the health officer of the city. These reports did not warrant investigation by me as they were legal excuses occasioned by illness. It must be noted that cases of contagious diseases ought to be taken into account as to attendance where ten days have consecutively elapsed from the first day of absence. It should also be remembered that school attendance materially decreases by reason of fear of epidemics.

The lack of proper clothing is another feature which reduces school attendance. Through the kindness of charitably inclined persons, in placing at my disposal funds for this purpose, I have been able to meet the demand without any material loss of time to the pupil.

There has been a decrease in truancy cases over the preceding year, the majority of cases reported are confined to children of tender years who have no knowledge of the offense, and is largely due to the indifference of the parents and home conditions. If the fathers and mothers would co-operate with the school authorities, the record of attendance would be materially improved and their children correspondingly benefited.

I take this opportunity of thanking the teachers, superintendent and others for their kind assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. HICKEY, Truant Officer.

February 1st, 1915.

Auditors' Report

To the Honorable City Council:

In conformity with the requirements of the Charter of the City the Auditors having completed their labor for the examination of the books kept by the various officers of the City make the following report to you:

We have carefully and fully examined the books of the City kept by the Treasurer, the Clerk, the Overseer of the Poor, the Superintendent of Schools and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

We repeat what was said by us in previous years, that the books of these officers as named, were kept in an excellent manner—much to their credit—that they showed that all money received by them has been properly entered by them on the books kept for that purpose and that for all money paid out by them, they have shown to us properly executed and approved vouchers. These vouchers are on file and access may be had to them at any time. The cash balance in the hands of the Treasurer was found to be correct. We have also examined the books of the City Collector, as far as we could; money collected by him on unpaid taxes has been duly turned over by him to the City Treasurer. There are some accounts due from the City to a small number of claimants, which will be readily adjusted during 1915, the total amount is inconsiderable.

Respectfully submitted,

C. TURNER,
JAKE HEYMAN,
GEO. C. COBB,

Auditors of the City of Rutland, Vt.

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 26, 1915.

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